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Turning Recreation and Excitement in New Directions (TREND) held a candlelight walk and program on nonviolence recently. The teen group promotes healthy lifestyles and non-violence. TREND was started in St. Louis in 1987 by a group of adolescents and the National Council on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse. A local chapter sponsored by St. Elizabeth Medical Center was started in the Tri-City area last year, and includes students from the Granite City, Venice and Madison school districts.



Mom's Day kiss expected

By Scott Kelly
 Staff writer

Hershey's will be delivering several Granite City women a special kiss today for Mother's Day.

The Hershey's Kissmobile, a specially-designed 25-foot long chocolate lover's dream car, will roll into Granite City to visit members of the Raub and Sharp families.

In line for the special "kiss" are Agnes Raub, Dorothy Castleman, Doris Stark, Renie Raub and her mother Irene Sharp and sister Denise Settle, all of Granite City. The women are relatives of former resident Elane Raub Feldman, who works for the agency that coordinates the Kissmobile tour for Hershey's.

Feldman is the daughter of James and Agnes Raub, the

'The Kissmobile crew had an open schedule for Mother's Day and wanted to do something special for some of the ladies.'

Elane Raub Feldman
 Hershey's

sister-in-law of Renie Raub and niece of Castleman and Stark.

"The Kissmobile crew had an open schedule for Mother's Day," she said. (See KISS, Page 5A)

10 honorees truly Women of Achievement

Women 'make things better'

By Mary Shapiro
 Staff writer

"While you're on this planet, if there's something you can do to make things better, you've got to do it."

That sentiment belongs to Karen Duffy but epitomizes the spirit of her and nine other women honored as 1998 Women of Achievement. The women were honored for their commitment to serving others.

The 43rd annual Women of Achievement award ceremony was Wednesday at the Ritz-Carlton-St. Louis in Clayton. St. Louis County Executive George "Buzz" Westfall and East St. Louis Mayor Gordon Bush were some of about 750 people who attended the ceremony.

"Their volunteerism and community service is making St. Louis a great place to live, generation to generation," Westfall said.

"When you want something said, get a man. When you want something done, get a woman," Bush said.

Awards were presented by Tom Rice, president and chief. (See WOMEN, Page 8A)



1998 Women of Achievement are, seated from left, Grace Shen Lo, Denise H. Wright and Joan Lipic. Standing from left are Margaret W. Dagen, Mary Randolph Ballinger, Sister Mary Jean Ryan, Lisa Baue, Barbara S. Eagleton and Karen Duffy. Not pictured is Charmaine Chapman.

Sauget off hook

Army: Town no longer option for waste

By Jason White
 Staff writer

The Army will not ship 60,000 gallons of hazardous waste to a Sauget incinerator, U.S. Rep. Jerry Costello, D-Beleville, said Thursday. Costello said in a news release that Costello met with Theodore Provic, the Defense Department's deputy assistant in Chemical and Biological Matters, and other Army officials Thursday to discuss the

proposed shipment.

"The Army has informed me they will continue to explore other options, but those options will not include shipping the waste to Sauget," Costello said.

The Army is requesting a permit from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency that would allow the transfer of waste from metal drums to larger containers for barge transport.

The Army is planning to ship

the waste from Johnston Atoll in the Pacific Ocean to a site where the waste can be incinerated.

The waste, a byproduct of the military's defunct chemical weapons program, contains traces of arsenic, mercury and other heavy metals that cause nerve and brain damage.

"I can appreciate the Army's difficult duty to dispose of hazardous waste, and the demands they face in eliminating it," Costello said. (See WASTE, Page 8A)

4 Venice women charged in stabbing

By Scott Cousins
 Staff writer

Four Venice women were charged following a stabbing in Venice Thursday evening.

Nicki Miller, 19, of the 1500 block of Collinsville Avenue, Madison; Catherine T. Miller, 22, of the 1500 Block of Fifth Street, Madison, and Stanisha

K. Tillman, 18, of the 1000 block of Douglas, Venice, were each charged with one count of aggravated battery.

All three were in custody Friday. Bond was set at \$50,000 each.

Donna L. King, also of the 1000 block of Douglas was charged with one count of concealing a fugitive. Bond was

set at \$20,000.

The victim, 28, required 50-70 stitches for numerous stab wounds to her head, face, throat, chest and arms. She was treated and released at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City.

According to police reports, at about 7:45 p.m. a Venice (See STABBING, Page 8A)

Fire guts one house, damages another

One house was destroyed and another heavily damaged in a late-afternoon fire in the 1500 block of Fifth Street in Madison on Friday.

Firefighters from Madison, Venice, Charles Melvin Price Support Center, Long Lake and Mitchell fire departments

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responded to the fire at about 4 p.m. at 1528 and 1530 Fifth Street. Fire Chief Michael Foley said no injuries were reported.

"When we got here the two-story (1528) was fully involved, and the whole roof structure inside was burning in 1530," he said.

He said the fire apparently started in 1528, which was unoccupied, and winds blew (See FIRE, Page 5A)

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CAROL'S COMMENTS

Poll results are there for interpretation

Ever get the feeling that you're out of sync with mainstream thought? Whatever that may be. Or if anyone really knows what it is?

A recent article by a writer I admire, Hendrik Hertzberg, on the general subject of public opinion polls and "The American People" (or, as he puts it, "lets call the beast TAP to save ink"), set me thinking about what really constitutes public opinion and how accurate the interpretations of it are.

Hertzberg is pretty fed up with opinion polls, as am I, noting that what once was called the "silent majority" is as dead as a dodo with the advent of innumerable polls and that "now the voice of the people is the voice that won't shut the hell up."

He's right and in my opinion, it's a sorry state of affairs when poll results are assumed by so-called experts to represent majority thinking. He's right, too, in pointing out that relying on poll results of this week may be risky, because TAP is fickle and may do an about-face next week.

I'm no pollster, nor do I want to be, but in the course of any given week, I talk to a lot of people about a fairly broad spectrum of subjects and most of the time, it seems to me that a true consensus of opinion simply ain't there.

Agreement, in the general way, often; uniformity on details, less frequently.

And that's OK with me. Personally, I'm seldom in total accord with someone else's thinking and I see no reason for others to buy my opinion hook, line and sinker. A life in which everyone agreed completely with everyone else would be dull as hell and that brand of brave new world holds no charms for me.

Hertzberg may be, and probably is, correct when he writes that politicians and social scientists have become nervous Nellies when it comes to their own opinions. They have lost self-confidence in their own thinking, and they have come to believe that if it's at odds with what each week's poll indicates as the voice of the people, those people have lost confidence in them.

He suggests that as a result of such a belief, their own fac-



Carol Clarkin

ulty of thought may eventually become completely atrophied, in which case we may well end up with the blind-leading-the-blind — if that is not already the case.

Should this be true, the fall election might become a testing ground for those members of the Madison County Board running for re-election who recently voted to close the Madison County Nursing Home and the county's Shelter Care Home.

The vote was a fairly close one, 15-12, but both facilities will close effective Nov. 30. Approximately 195 residents will be affected.

The board also voted down by 15-13 a measure that would have provided \$50,000 to study options other than closing the facilities, but approved spending up to \$100,000 to hire a consultant to work with both the soon-to-be ousted patients and employees.

There's no question in anybody's mind that the decision to close the two facilities was the result of the March primary election in which voters resoundingly defeated two tax proposals, one of which would have approved the issuance of \$6.5 million in bonds to construct a new combined home on property owned by the county and the other would have allowed the maximum tax rate assessed for operating the two shelters to as much as double.

Since the primary election, I've listened to quite a number of complaints from people who voted to keep both in operation, some of these people admittedly having a personal or family interest in the matter.

Wouldn't it be interesting if some of the candidates for re-election to the board come November turn out to have misread the poll result of March?



Important to plant family trees in children

By Jane Fisher
Correspondent

Several weeks ago I had a telephone call from a lady in Caseyville. She asked if she was related, and if so, how. I told her I didn't know but I remember my deceased mother taking me to their home in Collinsville to visit. I thought nothing then about the relationship.

Then, the March 19 issue of an area newspaper had an item in its "It Happened Here" section that caught my eye. It was about the untimely death of my paternal grandmother, 85 years ago in 1913.

Wanting to know more about it, I went to the Tri-Township Public Library in Troy for help. The Historical Society has put the old newspaper on microfilm. I viewed the year 1913 until I came to Friday, March 17, 1913. There was the obituary I was interested in. The obit listed the names of the four surviving sisters of my grandmother and also gave her maiden name and place of birth.

I was shocked to see one of her sisters was my lady friend's paternal grandmother. Another surviving sister was my former (back in the '60s) teenage baby-sitter's maternal grandmother! All of a sudden I had two more confirmed second cousins to add to my fam-



Jane Fisher

ily tree. Who knows how many more? It's such a pity that family members don't write down who their relatives are. Most of our mothers and fathers are now dead, so we can't question them. Looking

through Bibles, papers, etc., seldom gives any answers to our questions. Visiting cemeteries is a dismal affair.

I suppose we all think we'll live forever or at least we think we will write something down before we die. Then it slips our minds and our children are left with questions and missed opportunities for fellowship with their relatives.

I have done quite a bit of research on my family tree, but this particular branch of the tree was not talked about because of the bizarre circumstances surrounding my grandmother's death. It was one of

those "hush-hush" affairs.

However, I now look forward to finding out more about her parents and that side of my family. It looks like it may lead to research in Highland, East St. Louis and Arkansas.

Our family trees reveal hundreds of relatives, but at my age, most of them are dead. Still, who they were makes up for who I am. It would be so nice for your children if you would write down at least some names of relatives that you know about.

(Jane Fisher of Troy occasionally writes for the Collinsville Herald.)

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Each member in our class is working on a project called the "Parade of States." We are responsible for gathering as much information as we can about the state we chose to research.

I have chosen your state, Illinois, for my presentation. Any of your readers would help me out by sending me pictures, postcards, a used license plate, travel brochures, facts, etc., I would greatly appreciate it! Please send items to: Mountain Meadow Elementary School, 1312 Mundy Loss Road, E., Rm. 403/Mrs. Schmidt, Buckley, WA 98321.

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STEPHANIE GAMMON
Buckley, Wash.

Message missing

TO THE EDITOR:

The April 26 airing by the CBS-TV network of "Nicholas' Gift," the story of a family's decision to donate their son's organs, unfortunately, did not carry a message to the millions of Illinois viewers who they could locally secure information on the life-saving benefits of the organ donor program.

The National Kidney Foundation of Illinois visits schools, corporations and community organizations to help promote organ donation awareness. NKFI is committed to increasing the public's awareness of kidney disease and organ donation.

For more information on organ donation or kidney disease, contact the National Kidney Foundation of Illinois at 800-KIDNEY or on our website at www.nkfi.org or write to: S. Federal St., Suite 201, Chicago, IL 60605-1824.

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Chamber to honor law officials

Former senator Paul Simon to speak at 12th annual gala

By Scott Kelly
Staff writer

Simple appreciation is the goal of honoring the efforts of law enforcement.

The Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce honors the Quad-Cities' finest Monday night at St. Gregory's Hall in Granite City.

Guests for the 12th annual evening are members of the Venice, Madison, Pontoon Beach and Granite City police departments, and the Illinois State Police, Madison County Sheriff's Department, the Madison County Probation Department and other individuals that serve the area.

"We had our crime preven-

tion and awareness committee for a number of years working with local police departments in support of their efforts and programs," said R.C. Bush, the chamber's executive vice president, about how the annual event came about.

"We became aware of the fact that police departments are an important part of the community that are (often) not given recognition," he said.

The chamber thought the most fitting tribute would fall during the national Law Enforcement Recognition Week. At the dinner, members of various law enforcement organizations will mingle with those of the "civilian" population in a relaxed, social set-

ting, and get to know one another better, he said.

"It's the easiest program we have," Bush said.

The St. Gregory Armenian Hall will once again lend its space for the dinner.

Retired U.S. Sen. Paul Simon, now a professor for Southern Illinois University, is the guest speaker.

Simon, who is originally from southern Illinois, spent the early part of his political career in Madison County.

Though retired from politics, Simon is still active in public affairs. He serves as SIU's director of the Public Policy Institute in Carbondale.

"We had our crime prevention and awareness committee for a number of years working with local police departments in support of their efforts and programs."

R.C. Bush
Chamber executive VP

City approves bid for center

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

The Venice City Council approved a bid of \$145,000 for an addition and parking lot for the city's recreation center, but officials are unsure how to pay for the improvements.

At a special meeting Tuesday, the council accepted a low bid of \$145,294 from Lamar Moore Construction of Granite City for the work, which would include an addition and parking improvements. However, Mayor Tyrone Echols said the city has about \$107,000 in community development funds for the project.

"We don't have another \$35,000 to put with it," he said.

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Instead, he said the city would go back to Madison County Community Development to see if any additional money would be available.

Echols said improving the center is something the council has been wanting to do.

"That's been in the making for quite some time," he said. "The seniors have been complaining constantly, but we didn't have the money." The center was originally built in the early 1980s with Community Development funds.

"It gets tremendous amount of use," Echols said.

Work on traffic lights to begin after close call

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

Traffic lights, high grass and stump removal were some of the issues dealt with by the city of Madison at last Tuesday's council meeting.

Three sets of traffic lights on Madison Avenue will receive new mechanisms after problems were reported to Madison city officials.

At the meeting, the council approved a \$55,000 contract with Rite Electric Co. to replace controllers at the intersection of Madison Avenue and Third, Sixth and 12th streets.

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Because of some kind of malfunction, some of the traffic lights were showing green on both east- and north-bound sides at the same time.

Street Superintendent Ron Grzywacz said they discovered the problem when an elderly woman came in to complain that she had almost been hit by a truck at the intersection of Madison Avenue and Sixth Street.

He said she swore that her light had been green. After

talking to her, city officials had officers observe the lights and discovered they were not synchronized correctly.

The lights at Sixth Street were placed on blink until the work can be completed.

Mayor John Hamm also told the council that the city would be "very aggressive" on overgrown yards and lots this year.

Because of a very mild winter, he said experts are predicting a large mosquito population.

"We're going to be aggressive on the high grass," he said.

The council also approved

contracts with two companies for stump removal. The cost would be \$20 or \$23 per stump.

Grzywacz said city workers can remove small stumps, but it is more time-efficient to contract the work.

The city has been aggressively cutting down overgrown trees.

The council set a maximum of \$10,000 for stump removal in the coming year.

The council also approved ordinances prohibiting parking along Old Madison and Eagle Park roads, and approved a resolution seeking bids to contract towing services.

Public hearing possible

By Sanford J. Schmidt
Telegraph staff writer

Madison County officials may know by Aug. 15 whether a state planning board will approve closing the nursing and sheltered care homes, but a public hearing might be held in the meantime.

The county will complete its application to close the nursing and sheltered care homes by June 15, said Jim Monday, director of administration.

Monday discussed the schedule for the process, as well as planned negotiations with unions representing workers at the homes, at a committee meeting Thursday. The union discussion was held in closed

session.

County Board Chairman Rudy Papa said he met with officials of the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees Thursday and has another meeting scheduled in a week.

County officials want to work out details of severance pay and other details of the closing and how it affects the employees.

"That process is on the move," Papa said.

Monday said the process of applying to close the homes is not complicated.

"The process is streamlined," Monday said. "There is not a lot of investigation that goes into it."

He said the main factor to consider in the closing decision is whether it will have an adverse effect on health care. He said the Illinois Public Health Department will publish a notice in the paper. A public (See HOMES, Page 6A)

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Red Cross offers June classes

The St. Louis Bi-State Chapter of the American Red Cross will offer the following first aid and CPR classes during June at the American Red Cross office, 10218 Lincoln Trail in Fairview Heights:

Adult CPR — Tuesday, June 9 from 6 to 10 p.m.; Saturday, June 20 from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Community CPR — Tuesday, June 9 from 6 to 10 p.m. for part I; and Wednesday, June 10 from 6 to 8:30 p.m. for part II.

First Aid — Thursday, June 11 from 6 to 8:30 p.m.; and Saturday, June 20 from 1:30 to 4 p.m.

Standard First Aid with CPR — Tuesday, June 9 from 6 to 10 p.m. for part I; and Thursday, June 11 from 6 to 8:30 p.m. for part II; and Saturday, June 20 from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The two-and-one-half hour First Aid course costs \$15. Participants receive a Standard First Aid certificate from the Red Cross good for three

years. A current Adult CPR card is a prerequisite for first aid.

Cost for the six-and-one-half hour class is \$35. Cost for the four hour Adult CPR course is \$25. Those completing the class will receive an American Red Cross Adult CPR certificate good for one year.

Registration deadline is one week prior to the class date. For information or to register, call the American Red Cross at 397-4600.

'Special' picnic set for Fairview

By Kimberly Haas
Staff writer

The disabled are invited to the second Special Day for Special People picnic in Fairview Heights.

The picnic will include food, games, and entertainment from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on May 23 at Longacre Park.

"Anyone of any age with any kind of disability is encouraged to attend," said Randy Pierce, director of Fairview Heights Administrative Services.

Lunch will begin about 11:30 a.m. and will include chicken, cookies, and ice cream. Those providing food for the event include Old Country Buffet, Hardee's, Pasta Fare, Fazolis, and Dairy Queen.

"The response has been very

favorable," Pierce said of the donation.

In addition, a magician from Trebor Productions will be performing throughout the afternoon. Bingo will also be available. Hand-crank bicycles will be provided by Touring Cyclist and wheelchair tennis games will be played.

Dulcimer music will be performed by the group, The Peacocks. Last year between 300-400 people attended the event, Pierce said.

Groups or agencies planning to attend should make reservations with the city of Fairview Heights, Pierce said.

To make reservations or for more information, call Randy Pierce or Kathy Cawley at 397-9115.

Kiss

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Day and wanted to do something special for some of the ladies," Feldman said.

"My family was having a Mother's Day picnic. It seemed like a good match — they get a home-cooked meal, my family of moms gets chocolate," she said.

The vehicle is 25 feet long, 11 feet 6 inches tall, and is topped with what appears to be three giant Hershey chocolate Kisses.

It comes equipped with a 31-inch television, a laser disc player and a public announcement system.

Children visiting the Kissmobile can play The Great Kiss Race, a computer-animated racing game, and learn how Hershey's Kisses are made.

The Kissmobile also was at Cardinal Glennon Children's Hospital, 1465 S. Grand Blvd., and St. Louis Children's Hospital, 1 Children's Place, in St. Louis last week to visit hospital patients and staff.

The Kissmobile is in the area as part of its 1998 Kissmobile Tour U.S.A. to visit kids of all ages to help raise awareness and donations for Hershey's longstanding charity partner, the Children's Miracle Network.

After visiting the Granite City moms, the Kissmobile will leave the area to continue its tour around the country.

Fire

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The flames across to the other home, where nobody was home.

As of Journal press time, fire officials were investigating what may have caused the blaze.

— Scott Cousins

'The Artist' to appear in Collinsville

The artist formerly known as Prince is coming to Collinsville.

The artist is headlining a show set for Tuesday at Gateway Center, Larry Graham, formerly with Sly and the Family Stone, will open the show.

There are only 3,000 tickets available, with standing room only, although handicapped

seating will be provided. Tickets, which went on sale Saturday, were being sold only through MetroTix at (314) 534-1111. Tickets are \$69 each.

Doors open at 8 p.m. The show starts at 9 p.m.

"We were surprised when they first contacted us," said Denise Joehl, Gateway's sales and event manager. "It's definitely something we don't do

all the time."

Collinsville plans were finalized Wednesday after just being contacted the week before. Joehl said that the artist is setting up shows and announcing them just days in advance. He is purposely seeking out a smaller concert venue.

"He wants more of a club atmosphere," she said.

Deaths

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The Rev. Bill Owen officiating. Burial will be in Sunset Hill Memorial Estates in Glen Carbon.

The Press-Record/Journal will publish obituaries up to two weeks

following the funeral services. Although most obituaries are received from local funeral homes, obituary notices can be sent to the newspaper at: Granite City Press-Record/Journal, 1815 Delmar, Granite City, IL 62040.

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Park District sets sights on Lake Geneva

Lake Geneva, Wis., will be the destination of the next three-day trip offered by the Granite City Park District. The trip will be on June 16-18 and will go on sale at 8 a.m. Wednesday, at the Wilson Park Ice Rink.

Often referred to as the "Newport of the Midwest," this unique historic town is famous for its resorts, summer homes and beautiful location. The group will stay at the Interlake Resort and Country Spa located on a knoll overlooking Lake Comp.

The activities planned will include a "hysterically historic" city tour and a mailboat cruise on Geneva Lake. The mailboat cruise will include the actual mail delivery to lakeshore homes by a mail girl who leaves off the boat, delivers the mail to the dock and then jumps back on the boat that never stops.

A driving tour will be made of the Grand Geneva Resort, formerly Hugh Hefner's "Playboy Club." Time will be allowed to enjoy the grounds, pool, lounge or spa at the Interlake Resort as well as time for browsing in Lake Geneva.

One of the days will include a visit to

the SC Johnson Wax Museum Company in Racine, Wis., that is famous for the many items for the home as well as personal care. A tour will be made of the Great Workroom and other buildings on the grounds designed by the architect Frank Lloyd Wright. An Academy Award-winning film, "To Be Alive," will be viewed in the Golden Rendelle building that was brought to Racine from the 1964 World's Fair in New York.

After the Johnson Wax stop the group will visit the Q and H Bakery where the authentic Danish Kringle is made from many feather-light layers of pastry and butter with a variety of homemade fruit or nut fillings. Samples will be offered and kringles may be purchased.

One of the evenings will include four decades of music and memories with Eddie Cash and the New Sequence Orchestra, live at the Belfry Theatre in nearby Williams Bay, Wis.

The trip cost includes two continental breakfasts; lunch at Popeye's, a landmark lakefront restaurant; dinner at the Red Geranium, a charming restaurant in town; and lodging, transportation and all

the side trips and entertainment.

On the way home the group will stop in Gurnee, Ill., for a shopping experience at the Gurnee Mills mall, the Midwest's largest outlet mall with more than 200 stores. Lunch will be in the premises in one of the many eateries that includes everything from A and W Hot Dogs to Planet Hollywood and Rainforest Cafes.

The cost of the three days is \$5 more than previously advertised due to a late addition to the itinerary. The cost is \$290 for a single, \$253 each for a double room, \$230 per person for a triple and \$220 per person for four to a room.

The entire amount must be paid at the time of registration and one person can only sign up for one room of one to four people. Proof of residency in the Park District must be presented for each person unless husband and wife. Nonresidents in line will be placed on the waiting list immediately and those wishing to go by telephone may call the park office at noon. They will be notified one week later of trip availability.



Green to appear

Ralph Green of St. Louis will be in concert at 7 p.m. today at Grace Baptist Church, 2600 Edwards St. Green is a music evangelist who has been in full-time ministry since 1979. He has visited Grace Baptist several times. All are invited, and a nursery will be provided.

Tourism head lauds area

By Joe Leicht
Staff writer

Illinois has become the number five state in the nation in terms of tourism, and the beds-and-breakfasts, natural areas, gift shops and wineries of Southern Illinois deserve much of the credit.

That was the message Illinois Tourism Director Donna Shaw brought to the Illinois Grape Growers & Vinters Association on Wednesday. Speaking at the association's annual conference in Wartburg, she told members that their efforts have contributed to a historic boom that has pushed state tourism revenues to \$18.5 billion.

Just five years ago, I would have had to stand up here and tell you that Illinois has the largest percentage of erosion at its own borders of any other Midwestern state. Our own people knew more about Michigan, Wisconsin, Missouri, Indiana and Kentucky than their own state, and people in Chicago didn't seem to have any idea their cars could be driven south," Shaw said.

But the trend of Illinois residents spending their travel and recreation dollars outside the state has been halted and reversed, said Shaw. She cited figures that indicate a 12-percent increase in Illinois tourism spending, with 31 percent of that hike attributable to Illinois residents.

Representatives from about 15 Illinois wineries attended the conference, which ran Tuesday through Thursday. The conference also served as the unofficial unveiling of the Schorr Lake Vineyard, a new Waterloo operation that will have a grand opening in November.

"In downstate Illinois, people are visiting historic sites, cultural trips, hiking and biking and other types of outdoor recreation," Shaw said.

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Farewell party

St. Peter's United Church of Christ held a farewell party in Fellowship Hall for John Kinnard and his wife, Donna. Above, the couple poses with Bob Braundmeier, council president (right). Kinnard, who has served as student minister to the church for the past year, will be leaving May 10. Kinnard will serve as interim minister at Central Christian Church on Johnson Road following his graduation.

Wilson School kindergarten

Wilson School's kindergarten registration for the 1998-99 school year will be 9 a.m. to noon and 1 to 2 p.m. Tuesday.

Make-up registration day is 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. May 14.

Children must be 5 years old on or before Sept. 1, 1998 to enroll in kindergarten.

Parents should bring a valid birth certificate and proof of residency in the Wilson School area, such as a power bill or rental contract. Items must be presented at time of registration.

A health examination with up-to-date immunizations must be obtained before each child begins the school term.

Venice city stickers ready for purchase

Vehicle city stickers are available at the Venice City Hall for \$3.

After June 15, the price will increase to \$5, and police will begin ticketing.

Homes

(Continued from Page 3A) hearing will be held. If demanded, and the County Board would have to attend, Monday said.

The administrative review process would be completed within 60 days of the county's submission of a request to close the homes. The Health Facilities Planning Board will meet Aug. 15 in Chicago to vote on whether to allow the closing.

He said while the administration is working on the paper work, county officials will also be working to place the people now living in the nursing and sheltered care homes in other homes.

Monday said that to prove the closures would have no adverse effect on health care, the board would have to document that there are other homes within the county or within a 30-minute drive that could handle the clients now under care of the county.

A report compiled by Monday showed 25 nursing homes in Madison County with 2,693 beds, of which 79 percent are occupied. There are two sheltered care homes in the county — including the county home — with 91 beds. There are two such homes with a total of 100 beds in St. Clair County, of which 66 percent are occupied, the report said.

Sheltered Care Home director Donna Marrone said she is working with state officials to find out if her clients can be placed in homes other than sheltered care homes.

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Film timetable for Sunday, May 10. For times on other days or to confirm these times, check local theaters.

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1-70 and Hwy. 167, Collinsville, Ill.
344-1708
City Of Angels (PG-13) 1:00, 3:30, 7:00, 9:30
Deep Impact (PG-13) 2:00, 4:30, 7:00, 9:30
Lost In Space (PG-13) 1:00, 7:00
Odd Couple 2 (PG-13) 3:30, 9:30
The Big Hit (R) 1:15, 3:15, 5:15, 7:15, 9:15

EASTGATE CINE
Eastgate Plaza, E. Alton, Ill. 254-5289
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Woe (R) 1:00, 3:20, 5:50, 8:15, 10:35
Deep Impact (PG-13) 1:30, 4:50, 7:40, 10:30
Players Club (R) 1:45, 5:20, 7:50, 10:20
The Big Hit (R) 1:10, 3:20, 5:30, 7:45, 10:05
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Grease (PG) 2:00, 7:15, 9:30
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Titanic (PG-13) 12:10, 4:10, 8:15
Titanic (PG-13) 1:00, 4:55, 9:00
Paulie (PG) 1:00, 2:00, 4:00, 7:05, 9:15
Barney's Great Adventure (G) 12:00, 1:45, 3:30, 5:15, 7:00, 9:10
Scream 2 (R) 1:20, 4:50, 7:15, 9:40
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The Seinfeld Final Episode will be broadcast at 8 p.m., Thursday, May 14, on the face of "The Living Wall," the focal point of a huge street party that includes live bands, a Kramer "entering-the-room" contest, Elaine Benis dance contest, balloons, beer and brats. The grand door prize is a trip for two to New York City, courtesy of FM-101. The River and FM-106.7 The Point. The trip will include a special Seinfeld city tour.
The Living Wall is sponsored by City Image, a non-profit organization dedicated to visually enhancing the St. Louis cityscape. The Living Wall made its debut in February to demonstrate its versatility as the city's own "living" projection screen.
"We hope to make The Living Wall a permanent installation," said Frank Viverito, City Image board member. "To do that we desperately need sponsorship. To revitalize our city, we need reasons to be here. The Living Wall is an attraction that benefits everyone."
The Living Wall is similar to New York City's Jumbotron in Times Square, except The Living Wall has a sound system and entertainment program content. A Seinfeld sponsor wanted to show the final episode in New York City's Times Square, but the city refused to block off the streets.

Two shows coming to SIUE
Summer Showbiz, the annual stock theater program at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville, will offer two Broadway blockbusters for summer fare this year: Meredith Willson's beloved "The Music Man" and the magical musical "Brigadoon" by Lermer and Loewe.
"The Music Man" will be staged at 7:30 p.m. June 11-14 and 18-21, and at 2 p.m. June 21. "Brigadoon" will be performed at 7:30 p.m. July 9-12 and 16-19, and at 2 p.m. July 19.
Willson's tribute to small-town life in the Midwest tells the story of the lovable con man Harold Hill, who comes to River City, Iowa, to make a fast buck by convincing the townspeople he can put together a children's band. However, he falls for the local piano and older, students, and SIUE faculty and staff with valid ID. Tickets are available through the SIUE Fine Arts box office; call 692-2774.

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Species II (R) 5:05, 10:05

Horoscope
SUNDAY, MAY 10
The solid nature of the Taurus moon gives way to speedy Gemini. Will March go out like a lamb? Either way, spring fever should be greatly alleviated. An aspect to Mars suggests there are almost too many distractions from the business at hand. Finish primary tasks first, and then take a walk. Experience the beauty of nature, no matter where you live.
TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (May 10). Your services are in demand this year, and you can start asking for your dream price. Next month, focus your attention to making a difference in your immediate surroundings in the lives of the less fortunate. Charity leads to love, and love leads to deeper commitments. Couples could have new children in November. Your best signs for new love are Gemini and Sagittarius.
ARIES (March 21-April 19). It is best to stay out of a domestic situation and let others work out their problems on their own. Don't hold back on creative concepts - someone will take credit if you don't!
TAURUS (April 20-May 20). Factors work to your advantage in a business deal you've had second thoughts about. Hold out until all details have been revealed. People in the entertainment industry could play an important role in your career.
GEMINI (May 21-June 21). Acquaintances could make strange inferences to people you've known in the past. Refrain from impulsive comments until you know the whole story. Success means remaining friends with every one.
CANCER (June 22-July 22). Keeping your nose to the grindstone could be the only way to complete a project on time. Money goes to the leader, so get the final word in. Refrain from enthusiasm. A Capricorn helps you make sound financial choices.
LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). Pulling your own weight with some one who's difficult to please could lead to more joy than you think. Prove yourself through your talents without going into a state of competitive stress. Keep an eye on your valuables tonight.
VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22).

'Tree-membrance' program open
The Forestry Division of the St. Louis Department of Parks, Recreation and Forestry has a Mother's Day gift suggestion that can last for several decades.
Through the division's "Tree-membrance" program, trees can be planted in any of the 42 city parks with a landscape design plan. "The perfect present is to plant a tree in honor of your mother and Gay Bess, forestry commissioner. "It's a living memorial not only to your mother, but your entire family."
Shade, flowering and evergreen trees are available. Tree-membrance trees will adhere to the park's plan. Trees will have trunks ranging from 1-1/2 to 2 inches in diameter.
To participate in Tree-membrance, call the Forestry Division at 535-0075 or visit the parks department office at 5600 Clayton Ave. in Forest Park. The office is open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

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Bribery case has officials knee deep in paperwork

Investigators look for criminal pattern

By Dennis Grubaugh
Telegraph staff writer

Investigators will plow through a mountain of paperwork in their probe of an alleged bribery involving a circuit court bailiff, a sheriff's official said Thursday.

"It's not going to take days; we're looking at weeks," Capt. Don Spaul said.

Spaul said the department has asked for computer "dumps" of Madison County traffic ticket statistics going back many months to see whether patterns of impropriety can be detected.

However, he stressed, "I don't have one shred of evidence" to suspect that the case is anything other than an isolated incident.

"We would be remiss if we did not pursue this all the way," Spaul said Wednesday. Norman M. Bertagnoli, 65, of Wood River, has been charged with bribery and suspended from the job after he gave \$1,500 to an assistant state's attorney to get him to drop a DUI case for a third party, authorities said.

Bertagnoli has pleaded not guilty, although he signed a statement admitting the incident and calling it isolated, authorities said. He is free after posting bail. Bribery is a Class 3 felony punishable by up to seven years in prison.

Bertagnoli is accused of passing \$1,000 bills in an envelope to assistant state's

attorney Tony Rother to get Rother to dismiss a DUI case against Mark P. Dieckmann of Collinsville. Rother was wired, and the conversation was monitored by sheriff's detectives. Bertagnoli was arrested within minutes of passing the money Friday, officials said.

According to State's Attorney William Haine, an unidentified "middle man" approached Bertagnoli on Dieckmann's behalf, asking whether Bertagnoli, a bailiff in traffic and family court cases, could do anything to help Dieckmann.

Bertagnoli apparently knew the middle man but not Dieckmann, Haine said.

The middle man paid Bertagnoli \$3,500 to get some help on the DUI case, thinking the money would be used to hire an attorney, authorities said.

Bertagnoli kept \$2,000 of the money and used the remaining \$1,500 in the bribe attempt in a judge's chambers Friday afternoon, Haine said.

Haine said it is ironic that Dieckmann and the middle man went to the trouble of seeking help. Dieckmann, as a first-time DUI violator, would have been entitled to court supervision as a matter of law. At a press conference Monday, Haine said there is no evidence the middle man or the DUI defendant knew a bribe would be attempted.

"There can't be any hint of corruption in the criminal justice system," Haine said.

They were taken to the Venice Police Department, where they declined to talk to officers.

After being released from the hospital, the victim gave a statement to police, saying she had been driving in the 1000 block of Douglas when Nicki Miller started yelling and threatened to cut her. The victim ignored them, thinking they were yelling at someone else and one of the suspect's allegedly pulled her out of the car when she was stopped.

Baue said she wanted her award to recognize all the women in the community who help others.

"When you see the programs you support making a difference in the quality of life in the community, it makes all you do worth it," she said.

"There are so many women who work hard behind the scenes in so many areas," she said. "They're unsung heroes."

Women of Achievement began in 1955 and had honored 426 women prior to Wednesday's luncheon.

Honored this year were Mary Randolph Ballinger, volunteerism; Lisa Baue, business and community; Charmaine Chapman, community betterment; Margaret W. Dagen, lifetime achievement; Karen Duffy, social responsibility; Barbara S. Eagleton, cultural enrichment; John Lipic, volunteer leadership; Grace Shen Lo, international awareness; Sister Mary Jean Ryan, civic responsibility; and Denise H. Wright, community service.

All were profiled at the luncheon during a special videotaped presentation.

"Volunteerism is as necessary as the water we drink and the air we breathe," Eagleton said.

Lipic said community work enriches one's life.

"I really feel everyone is a volunteer in their own special way. I truly believe those who are trying to help in turn help us grow," she said.

Ryan said her commitment to improve health care in the community made it vital for her to be involved in community organizations that ultimately contribute to that goal.

"We are here on Earth for a purpose, and my purpose is to make life much better for those in need," Wright said. Ballinger's volunteerism has given her "back so much more than I've given," she said.

Waste

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inating the stockpile of chemical weapons residue which still exists," Costello said.

"However, it still makes no sense to me to transport this waste 6,000 miles away when the capability exists to incinerate it on site."

Costello also said the EPA has denied the Army's request to cut short the public comment period on the waste transfer permit request.

The public comment period has been extended to June 1. Army officials have reportedly said the waste must be eliminated to close the Johnston Atoll facility, and shipping it off-site is cheaper than getting a permit to use the \$200 million incinerator on the island.

It may cost the Army \$10 million to burn the waste at the incinerator on the island, according to a published report. Transporting the waste to Saugat would have cost about \$2 million.

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Mothers provide guiding principles of our lives

I dedicate this column to my mother and to beloved mothers everywhere. Mother's Day is a time of reflection and thanksgiving.

My heart stirs, as I search my mind to remember. It seems hard to believe that 10 years has come and gone since my mother passed away. I recall her saying to me, "If I could only go back in time and know then what I know now." How I long today for my mother's gentle touch, keen observations and loving advice. It never occurred to me, even once, that she would be gone in the blink of an eye.



Catherine Galasso

If that insight was revealed to me, I would have savored every minute I had with her. I would have asked her a thousand questions and we would have shared so much more. Mothers are the source from which we derive the guiding principles of life. It's been said, "The hand that rocks the

cradle rules the world." George Washington wrote, "All I owe to my mother. I attribute all my success in life to the moral, intellectual and physical education I received from her." A mother's heart is the classroom of a child. That love endures beyond time or death. My mother taught me to be kind. "Be nice and love everyone," she would say. I learned what it means to love unconditionally and to give up everything for your family. When you have a child, you want only what makes them happy," one reader said. "You forget self."

My mother's truth and insight still rings in my ear and the sweetness of the tone

in her voice guides me onward. But God also has sent me substitute mothers. "Angels," as I call them, who have helped me along the way and who give me strength and comfort. If you haven't been blessed with a wonderful mother, ask God to lead you to someone who has a real mother's heart. He has someone out there for you.

My mother and I had an unspoken trust. On Mother's Day, years ago, I placed a small box of chocolates with an "I love you" note attached, under my mother's pillow. She loved it and thus it became a ritual — not just on Mother's Day, but at other times, too. We'd pass under-the-pillow

notes and gifts from my pillow to hers. As a little girl, I recall asking Mom not to show the notes to anyone, they were just for her and they'd be our little secret. So she never spoke of our under-the-pillow messages.

Not a day goes by that I do not think about my precious mother. Writing this for you, dear readers, makes me tremble with a longing to hug her and tell her that I love her. Through my tears, I think it's important for you, my friends, to learn from my experience. So right now, today, while you still can, write those notes of appreciation, say those words of love and thankfulness and give your mother an extra long

hug. The day after my mother passed away, under her mattress, I found the little bundle of notes, cards and letters I gave to her through the years, tied with a faded pink ribbon. Gently, I held the notes to my heart and whispered a prayer that has clung to me all my life.

The greatest compliment I could say, "Lord, please, in all her good and kind ways, make me like my mother."

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EVENTS CALENDAR

Community

ST. ELIZABETH SCHOOL will have its Fourth Annual Trivia Night May 15. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. with the event beginning at 7. Six-person teams can reserve a table by calling Dawn at 797-0167 or Kathy at 797-6245. Cost is \$60 per team in advance or \$72 per team at the door.

Price includes soda, snacks and beer. The event includes trivia,

attendance prizes and raffles. Players may bring their own food and drinks.

CAHOKIA MOUNDS STATE HISTORIC SITE presents a three-mile, natural/cultural hike through marsh, forest and open field from 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. May 16 starting at the Interpretive Center. An archaeologist will discuss research and interpretation for the various archeology sites along the trail, and a naturalist will describe the way plants

encountered on the trail were used by American Indians for food, medicine and fiber. Participants should dress for the weather and bring something to drink if desired. The hike, which is free and open to the public, will be canceled if it is raining.

The Kahok Dancers, a nonnative group, will present free dance performances in the Interpretive Center auditorium at 2 and 3 p.m. May 24. "Cahokia Landscapes," a temporary exhibit, will continue through the end of May. It features paintings of the site by Collinsville artist Marc Sova, and color and black and white photographs by Tom Miller of Collinsville and Pete Bostrom of Troy.

Stage plays/musicals

SUMMER SHOWBIZ, the annual stock theater program at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville, will offer two Broadway blockbusters for summer fare this year: Meredith

Willson's beloved "The Music Man," and the magical musical "Brigadoon" by Lerner and Loewe. "The Music Man" will be staged at 7:30 p.m. June 11-14 and 18-21, and at 2 p.m. June 21. "Brigadoon" will be performed at 7:30 p.m. July 9-12 and 16-19, and at 2 p.m. July 19. All performances are in SIUE's Communications Theater.

Willson's tribute to small-town life in the Midwest tells the story of the lovable con man Harold Hill, who comes to River City, Iowa, to make a fast buck by convincing the townspeople he can put together a children's band.

"Brigadoon," with its memorable score and lovely charm, is about two Americans who stumble on a magical town in the hills of Scotland, a town in which life and love bloom only once each 100 years.

Tickets for each show are \$10; \$6 for senior citizens 65 and older, students, and SIUE faculty and staff with valid ID. Tickets are available through the SIUE Fine Arts box office; call 692-2774.

MILESTONES

Jeanne Weidner celebrates a birthday today, May 10. Dorothy Bridick celebrates a birthday today, May 10. Dr. Robert Blankenship celebrates a birthday today, May 10. Dave "Stinky" Davis celebrates a birthday May 11. Clarence Ames Smith celebrates a birthday May 11. Kaye Dover celebrates a birthday May 11. Amber Nelson celebrates a birthday May 11. Jennifer Schooley celebrates a birthday May 11. Emily Matusic celebrates a birthday May 11. Cindy Myatt Doors celebrates a birthday May 12. Joey R. Johnson celebrates a birthday May 12. Paul McIntyre celebrates a birthday May 12. Mark Papp celebrates a birthday May 12. Clyde Walker celebrates a birthday May 13. Joanne Arnold celebrates a birthday May 13. Tim and Norma McKay celebrate an anniversary May 13. Rachel Elizabeth Parker celebrates a birthday May 14. Joseph Anthony Doroghazi celebrates a birthday May 14. Don and Pat Durborow celebrate an anniversary May 15. "Dottie" Caffrey celebrates a birthday May 15. Neva Renkin celebrates a birthday May 15. Michael Macellister celebrates a birthday May 15. Michelle Macellister celebrates a birthday May 15.

Janice Turner celebrates a birthday May 15. Sharon Robinson celebrates a birthday May 15. Tammy Lynn Turner Utz celebrates a birthday May 15. Charlie and June Bernaix celebrate an anniversary May 16. Tony and Lori Rajawitz celebrate an anniversary May 16. Sue Busch celebrates a birthday May 16. Laura Hildebrand celebrates a birthday May 16. Alexis Marie Cook celebrates a birthday May 16. Cookie Grooms celebrates a birthday May 16. Peggy Levart celebrates a birthday May 16.

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Please notify the paper if a person listed in Milestones has passed away or no longer wishes to be listed.

HONORS

The following students at St. Elizabeth School in Granite City earned academic honors during the third quarter of the 1997-98 school year.

Honor Roll
Eighth Grade — Jennifer Agopian, Nathan Gaudreault, David Hartwick, Jennifer Hay, Kerry Kosko, William Kutosky, Scott Mueller, Tony Ruesing.
Seventh Grade — Andy Bisto, Courtney Crews, Julie Dombek, Frank Dorris, Katie Hatcher, Abel Silva, Laura Stille.
Sixth Grade — Erica Carney, James Crain, Ryan Goskie, Jake Hartwick, Ashley Shembro, Matt Skoklo.
Fifth Grade — Jennifer Agopian, Dennis Bisto, Jeffrey Carney, Jenna Ely, Megan Gavick, Sara Kromraj, Hannah Kutosky, Lickens, Brock, Joe Lofink, Laura Mills, Susan Ratkewicz, Natalie Ruesing, Mark Ryan, Lauren Smith.
Fourth Grade — Brittany Ballew, Brittany Buerger, Corey Burton, Casey Coppersmith, Jessica Costello, Michelle Costello, Tasha Dittamore, Jonathan Dombek, Jonathan Dresch, Edward Gansner, Thomas Gordon, Lauryn Kulaza, Jessica Nickle, Jessica Scarborough, Leah Stanfill, Lauren Stovel.

SIUE series has variety of music

This year's Summer Arts '98 Concert Series at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville actually will have something for everyone.

Music professor Linda Perry has planned the program with variety in mind. The series of five consecutive Monday evening concerts begins June 8 and runs through July 6 on campus.

The two final evenings in the series are "An Evening of Piano Music" with James Woodward, on June 29, and a jazz concert on July 6 with Reggie Thomas, Rick Haydon and Brett Slamps, head of the Jazz Studies Program for the department.

The Summer Arts Concert Series will be offered in the Communications Building choral room (June 8, July 6) and in Lovejoy Library auditorium (June 15, 22, 29). Admission is free.

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Centerville City Hall, 5800 Bond Ave.
11 a.m.-2:50 p.m., daily, May 16 to June 12, register in lobby.
Granite City Campus, 4950 Maryville Road.
9 a.m.-12:50 p.m., daily, May 16 to June 12, register in cafeteria.

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Collins, Fiala successful with local talent

By now you probably have heard the expression "putting up numbers" as used with reference to an athlete's achievements.

Yet, southwestern Illinois has a pair of collegiate baseball coaches whose numbers continue to make them among the best.

Regardless of postseason outcomes, Gary "Bo" Collins of SIU-Edwardsville and Neil Fiala of Belleville Area College continue to support my contention that our area of Illinois rates with any other in the U.S. when it comes to baseball.

Not only have SIUE and BAC again gained national poll recognition, they both passed milestones.

For Collins, the 1998 season saw him move past the 600 mark in career victories while Fiala notched an unprecedented fourth consecutive season of 40 or more victories.

In 20 seasons of NCAA Division II action, Collins has bulked his lineup with players from southwestern Illinois high schools and community colleges.

By doing such, he ignores the Division II trend that has most of the teams about SIUE's No. 10 ranking drawing talent from such sun spots as Florida, Alabama or Mississippi.

Schools like Tampa or Delta State or Florida Southern are not sparked by the likes of senior-pitcher-first baseman Rob LeMarsh from Brussels, Ill., or junior outfielder Mason Horne from Valmeyer.

At BAC, this season's 27-man roster includes just five out-of-state players and an amazing number of 17 freshmen.

From a 24-29-1 record in his first season at BAC in 1994, Fiala has rocketed past the 300 career victory total which he surpassed in last weekend's NJCAA Section II tourney.

Collins, meanwhile, started with a 15-26 record in 1979 but today rates as the Cougars' winningest coach.

Are the coaches successful because they both have pro experience + Collins as a first baseman in the Cardinals' minor league system and Fiala as infielder in the majors with St. Louis and Cincinnati?

The answer rests not just in their baseball knowledge but in their being smart enough to recruit athletes from their own area — a fact that justifiably should boost pride at BAC and SIUE.

Overtime

Congrats are also in order for two of Belleville's high school football coaches — Glen Schott of Althoff and Larry

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(Staff photo by JOHN FRESE JR.)

Granite City soccer player Jessica Vasiloff (29) clears the ball up field in the Lady Warriors' game against Edwardsville. The Lady Warriors won that matchup and another Southwestern Conference match before losing Thursday to Alton.

Granite City wins two, drop one

The Granite City girls soccer team came back across the river for three games week after an 0-1-1 performance in the St. Dominic/Francis Howell North Shootout.

The Lady Warriors won their first two games against Southwestern Conference foes — defeating Edwardsville 6-0 last Monday and Belleville East 5-1 on Tuesday — before falling to an Illinois team for the first time this season.

Granite City, 8-3-2, dropped a 1-0 decision to Alton on Thursday.

The Lady Warriors previous losses were to Missouri power St. Joseph's Academy (2-1) and Howell (1-0 at the tournament). They have tied Collinsville and St. Louis Nerinx Hall.

Scoring for Granite City on Wednesday in the 5-1 win against the Lancers were Melissa Montgomery (twice), Erika Todd, Jarahan Mohsen and Keri Ousley.

Shannon Roth made six saves in goal.

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(Staff photo by JOHN FRESE JR.)

Granite City's Crystal Cavins (left) watches after passing to keep the ball away from an Edwardsville defender during last Monday's game.

Edwardsville turns back Kahoks to remain unbeaten

By Brian Bretsch
Staff writer

Edwardsville High was tested twice this week by Southwestern Conference opponents and the Tigers passed both time with flying colors.

The Tigers topped Granite City 3-2 on Tuesday afternoon and then eked out a 2-1 victory over Collinsville. The two victories pushed the Tigers record to a

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perfect 21-0 on the spring.

"When I was a little growing up, they said pitching was the No. 1 thing in baseball and defense was No. 2," Edwardsville coach Tom Pile said. "We proved that (Thursday)."

Edwardsville southpaw Justin Hampson and Collinsville ace Kenny Lutz staged quite a pitching duel. While Lutz (6-1) was throwing plenty of heat and punting the corners, Hampson was baffling the Kahoks lineup with a variety of off-speed pitches.

"(Hampson) was very good," Collinsville baseball coach Steve McFall said. "His fastball was good enough and his curveball turns over real well — and

he can throw it for strikes. You've got to give him credit."

The Tigers finally broke the scoreless game open in the fourth inning. Chad Opel led off with a single that whistled past Lutz and into centerfield. Nick Seibert followed with a hit-and-run single to right field, which sent Opel to third. Kahoks right fielder Den-

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Collinsville alums will honor Fletcher

By Brian Bretsch
Staff writer

It is not a roast, but it is the next thing to one.

Members of the Collinsville High alumni are hosting an open house for the man everyone in town knows simply as "Coach."

The event takes place from 7-10 p.m. Aug. 15 at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Maryville.

Event organizers insist they are not roasting legendary basketball coach Vergil Fletcher, who many publications have called the greatest high school basketball coach of all-time. Instead the alumni simply want to extend an invitation to all former Collinsville High athletes, managers, cheerleaders and fans of the Fletcher era (1946-1978) to attend the open house.

Fletcher coached the Kahoks boys basketball team for 32 seasons. During that time, he won two state titles (1961, 1965) and finished second (1957), third (1978) and fourth (1980). He won 20 Southwestern Conference basketball titles. His career marks stands at 747-171 for an 814 winning percentage.

"Ray Sonnenberg and I got together six months ago and said we ought to do something for Fletcher," said Elwood Sapp, a former basketball player and

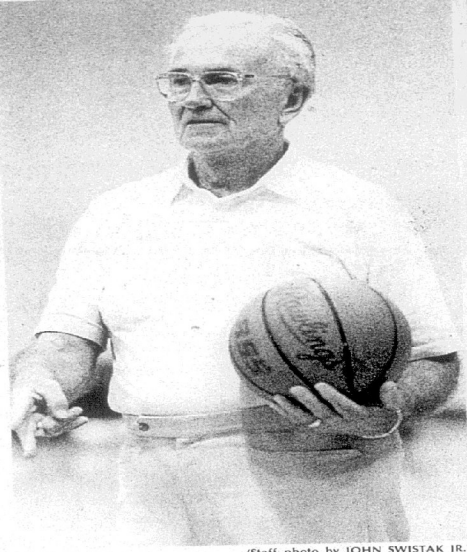
1950 graduate of CHS. "Just a get-together, nothing fancy; just an opportunity for us to visit with him and for him to visit with us. It is open to the public. It is not just for people who played for him."

"We're not going to have any speakers or anything like that. We are kind of trying to tie it in with the Purple Pride golf tournament, which is a day before. Any of those athletes who come back to participate in the golf tournament can stay the next day and go to this for Fletcher."

Sapp is hoping the event will draw a large crowd. Sapp said letters are being sent all over the country to those Collinsville High athletes who had Fletcher as a coach in basketball, football, track or cross country.

"The biggest problem is trying to find out where are all these people live. What we have attempted to do is have one individual in each class from all those years who played for him, try to help us locate folks," Sapp said. "That is where the challenge has been."

Hor d'oeuvres will be served and a cash bar available. Tickets are \$10 and are on sale at Bogie Redmon Insurance Agency, 405 St. Louis Road; and Your Insurance Agency (Pat Darling), 208 E. Main St.



(Staff photo by JOHN SWISTAK JR.)
Collinsville's Vergil Fletcher coached the boys basketball team to 747 victories.

BOWLING RESULTS

Camelot Bowl Week of April 29

Men's High Series

Sean Hay	844
Scott Fudge	768
Jerry Kimberlin	749
Bob Wilbur	734
Rich Hamilton	725
Charlie Hale	726
Dick Gambickler	715
Steve Molitor	701
Rob Barker	691
Joe Legendre	700
Frank Wepking	673

Men's High Game

Sean Hay	300
Rob Barker	299
Dutch Miller	288
Bill Annotti	279
Jerry Kimberlin	278
Dan Winkle	278
Keith Miller	278
Fred Graham	278
John Staub Jr.	268
John Deloney	267
Dick Gambickler	267
Steve Molitor	267

Women's High Series

Janice Hill	631
Janie Edgerton	623
Marcia Graham	609
Brenda Black	596
Sharon Crossen	592
Mary Ruth Hunter	592
Debbie Welles	581
Kristin Kraus	580
Alice Purdes	585
Michelle Spence	584
Fig Malone	584
Becky Bone	582

Women's High Games

Jamie Halvaks	247
Lori Yanousek	237
Alice Purdes	237
Lee Robertson	236
Laurie Rose	236
Mary Ruth Hunter	234
Michelle Spence	234
Sharon Crossen	232
Gail Smith	227
Janie Edgerton	226
Marcia Graham	224
LeAnne Robinson	222
Loretta Fudge	222

Thursday Seniors Men's High Series

Frank Halvaks	631
Bud Crossen	621

Women's High Series

Dorothy Vasques	512
Virginie Lynch	476

Men's High Games

Frank Halvaks	226
Bud Crossen	221

Women's High Games

Marge Presson	193
Bobbi Irvin	192

Friday A Boys Series

Scott Rushing	313
James Elbert	280

Girls Series

Dawn Dankenbring	294
Jackie Bean	279

Boys Games

Scott Rushing	162
Bobby Nordyke	160

Girls Game

Dawn Dankenbring	173
Jackie Bean	167

Friday B Boys High Series

Andrew Bauer	335
Matthew Dickey	301

Boys High Games

Andrew Bauer	192
Thomas Elbert	162

Girls High Series

Deanna Chamberlin	257
Erin Dickey	250

Girls High Games

Deanna Chamberlin	148
Erin Dickey	139

Juniors Boys Series

Aaron Dellamano	560
Chad Staub	487

Girls Series

Aaron Dellamano	424
Rachel Touchette	412

Boys Games

Aaron Dellamano	217
Matt Rodenhouse	172

Girls Games

Tina Taylor	172
Meagan Buckheim	164

Saturday Bumpers Boys Series

Ethan Wilborn	229
T.C. Collins	227

Girls Series

Alyssa Kinnard	191
Caitlin Anderson	191

Boys Games

Dustin Luth	124
Ryan Atwood	124

Girls Games

Katie Milster	108
Alyssa Kinnard	105

Saturday Preps Boys Series

Joe Dublar	302
Josh Chapman	300

Men Series

Josh Chapman	177
Joe Dublar	165

Sunday Parent/Youth Boys Series

Terry McQueen	621
Brandon Hogenon	572

Women Series

Lori Rummage	502
Pat Nicolet	489

Boys Series

Paul Krause	438
Andrew McGarrahan	428

Men Games

Patricia Rummage	463
Ashley Thomas	434

Boys Games

Terry McQueen	227
Jake Lutz	211

Signing time

SIUE lists recruits for men's soccer, basketball

By Brian Bretsch
Staff writer

It was a busy week for the SIUE-Edwardsville men's soccer and men's basketball teams.

Both programs recently signed athletes for the next school year.

The men's basketball program signed Centralia High standout Ty Moss, a two-time all-state selection.

Moss is a 5-foot-11 point guard. He averaged 19 points and six assists this past season for the Orphans. He was a first team Illinois Basketball Coaches Association all-state pick and was a second-team choice as a junior.

SIUE basketball coach Jack Margen-

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thaler said Moss will be an asset because he will be able to play both guard positions.

"He has the ability to play off-guard because of his shooting ability," Margen-thaler said. "Moss is a strong, aggressive type of player who makes good decisions."

Moss became the Orphans all-time leader in 3-point field goal shooting and assists. The four-year starter at Centralia ranks fifth at the school in all-time scoring with 1,510 points.

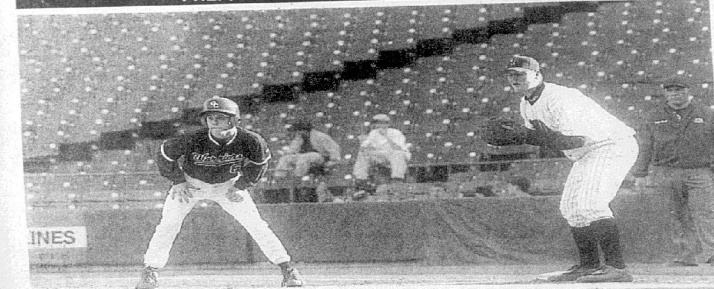
SIUE soccer coach Ed Huneke signed seven players he hopes can make an immediate impact next fall.

To add strength up top he signed Mike Francis (Florissant) and Brad Kroenig (St. Louis). Francis, a graduate of Aquinas-Mercy, will transfer from Florissant Valley to SIUE. Both Francis and Kroenig were first-team all-state players in Missouri.

In the middle, Huneke signed Scott Taylor of Liberty, Mo., and Michael Jensen, transfer from State Fair Community College in Sedalia, Mo.

In the backfield, Huneke signed Ryan Harken of Bloomington, Chris Knopp of St. Louis and Cress Maddox of 1997 TISA Class A state champion Springfield. Knopp was an all-state performer for DeSmet High.

PREP/COLLEGE SPORTS STANDINGS



(Staff photo by JOHN FRESE)

The Granite City-Triad baseball game at Busch Stadium — won by Triad — didn't count in the standings, but it's symbolic of the kind of seasons Triad (13-4) and the Warriors (8-11) have had.

METRO EAST BASEBALL

Southwestern Conference

Team	Conf	Overall
Edwardsville	5-0	21-0
Belleville West	4-1	9-4
Collinsville	5-3	13-4
Belleville East	3-2	5-5
Granite City	3-5	8-11
Alton	1-6	7-9
East St. Louis	0-6	5-9

Mississippi Valley

Team	Conf	Overall
Triad	2-1	13-4
Jerseyville	4-2	13-6
Highland	3-3	5-5
Chris Memorial	3-3	11-6
Mascoutah	2-3	7-13
Watsega	0-3	6-11

Cahokia

Team	Conf	Overall
Carlyle	3-0	7-4
Columbia	2-0	10-7
Red Bud	2-2	10-7
New Athens	5-1	12-3
Westlin	3-2	5-14

South Seven

Team	Conf	Overall
Alton	4-2	12-6
O'Fallon	1-3	7-13
Cahokia	0-1	5-6

Independents

Team	Overall
Triad	20-3
Alton	15-5
Marquette	11-4
Gibault	13-5
O'Fallon	11-9
Wood River	6-7
Columbia	3-14
Roxana	1-11
Mt. Vernon	0-10
M.E. Lutheran	0-9
Lincoln	0-9

College

Team	Overall
Alton	41-13
O'Fallon	32-10

METRO EAST SOCCER

Southwestern Conference

Team	Conf	Overall
Collinsville	4-0-1	11-1-2
Granite City	2-1-0	7-2-2
Belleville East	2-1-0	8-5-2
Alton	3-2-0	7-5-2
Edwardsville	0-2-0	4-4-0
Belleville West	0-4-0	1-8-0

Independents

Team	Overall
Triad	6-1-0
Marquette	9-3-1
Gibault	7-5-0
O'Fallon	8-5-2
Wood River	4-4-0
Columbia	2-6-1
Roxana	2-6-0
Mt. Vernon	3-4-0
M.E. Lutheran	0-2-0
Cahokia	3-4-0
Chris Memorial	0-3-1
Alton	0-6-0

SOUTHWESTERN CONFERENCE MEET (at Collinsville, May 7)

Team Results

1. Belleville East 143; 2. Belleville West 118; 3. Edwardsville 102; 4. East St. Louis 82; 5. Collinsville 55; 6. Alton 22; 7. Granite City 18.

Individual Results

800 medley relay — 1. East St. Louis 1:56.7; 2. Belleville East 1:59.3; 3. Edwardsville 1:59.9; 4. Collinsville 2:01.8; 5. Alton 2:02.9.
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3,200 relay

1. Edwardsville 10:20.4; 2. East St. Louis 10:34; 3. Belleville West 10:37.3; 4. Granite City 11:31.3; 5. Belleville East 11:54.2.
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400 relay

1. Edwardsville 50.9; 2. Belleville East 51.5; 3. Alton 52.9; 4. Belleville West 53.4; 5. Granite City 54.7.
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3,200 — 1. Kristel Adler (BE) 12:21.2; 2. Kara Walters (Coll) 12:41.3; 3. Kate Larilus (BE) 12:52; 4. Nikki Vaughn (Coll) 13:01; 5. Bailey Nichols (Ed) 13:10.

100 low hurdles — 1. Hill (ESTL) 15.0; 2. Turbin (BW) 15.9; 3. Tiffany Webb (BE) 16.5; 4. Marjorie Rinaldi (Ed) 51.4; 5. Nellie Shaul (Ed) 51.5.

100 — 1. Lakisha Johnson (BE) 12.8; 2. Eboni Jackson (Ed) 12.8; 3. Everage (A) 13.2; 4. Isabell (ESTL) 13.3; 5. Kelly Ziekus (Coll) 13.4.

800 — 1. Catherine Betz (BW) 2:26; 2. Kara Walters (Coll) 2:41; 3. Kate Larilus (BE) 2:52; 4. Nikki Vaughn (Coll) 3:01; 5. Bailey Nichols (Ed) 3:10.

1,600 run — 1. Catherine Betz (BW) 5:13.3; 2. Abby Perez (BE) 5:41; 3. Kristel Adler (BE) 5:41; 4. Kara Walters (Coll) 5:51.9; 5. Jester (GC) 5:55.

200 — 1. Eboni Jackson (Ed) 27.0; 2. Isabell (ESTL) 27.8; 3. Tashiana Byrd (BE) 28.1; 4. MacSeltow (BW) 28.2; 5. Kelly Ziekus (Coll) 28.4.

1,600 relay — 1. Edwardsville 4:19.8; 2. East St. Louis 4:20.3; 3. Belleville West 4:20.4; 4. MacSeltow (BW) 4:20.4; 5. Jester (GC) 4:20.4.

Shot put — 1. Danielle Lawary (BW) 40.0%; 2. Tara Reynolds (BE) 35.0%; 3. Clark (ESTL) 34.10; 4. Jada Hogg (Ed) 34.9; 5. Wanless (BW) 34.1%;

Discus — 1. Danielle Lawary (BW) 120.7; 2. Tara Reynolds (BE) 111.0; 3. Davis (ESTL) 100.6; 4. Monroe (GC) 97.4; 5. Clark (ESTL) 96.9.

High jump — 1. Christina Archibald (BW) 51; 2. Shelly Hammond (BE) 4-10; 3. Denmore (ESTL) 4-8; 4. (tie) Lehman (BE) and Walters (Coll) 4-8.

Triple jump — 1. Kim Saul (BE) 32-6; 2. Shelly Hammond (BE) 32-3; 3. Turbin (BW).

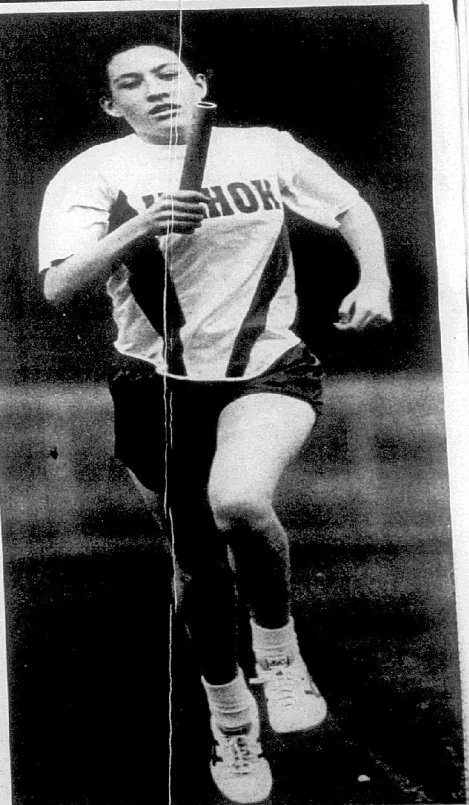
Long jump — 1. Christina Archibald (BW) 16-4; 2. Miana Gordon (Ed) 16-4; 3. Bellman (GC) 15-8; 4. Rekow (Coll) 15-3; 5. Thobau (Coll) 14-3.

300 hurdles — 1. Sarah Turbin (BW) 48.3; 2. Kelly Ziekus (Coll) 50.1.

Junior varsity scores

1. Edwardsville 170; 2. Granite City 84; 3. Belleville East 80; 4. East St. Louis 44; 5. Belleville West; 6. (tie) Alton and Collinsville 0.
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GIRLS TRACK



(Staff photo by JOHN SWISTAK JR.)

Collinsville's Nikki Vaughn placed fourth in the 3,200-meter run at the Southwestern Conference Meet last Thursday in Collinsville.

SPORTS BRIEF

The U.S. Ice Sports Complex in Fairview Heights will hold its grand opening weekend May 15-17. The schedule is listed below:

Friday, May 15

2 p.m. — ribbon cutting;

2:30-1

SPORTS

•Wrestling

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"I don't know if you realize the magnitude of 1,000 high school victories," said University of Illinois wrestling coach Mark Johnson, the guest speaker at Thursday's event. "I think the next closest is one out of Pennsylvania at 700. It's a real honor for me to come here tonight."

"Granite City has a dedication to the sport of wrestling that is very moving. There's no secret to success in wrestling. It's hard work. It does a lot for young men, and it does a lot for families."

Maybe it's the family connection that makes Granite City such a dominating force in prep wrestling. Going back through the program's history, it's easy to trace the names of fathers and sons, uncles and brothers who've shared the tradition.

Tom Sparks, a fourth-place state finisher in 1958, had two sons wrestle in the GCHS program. Sparks and Mike Trgovich helped establish the Granite City Wrestling Club, a feeder program to involve young kids in the sport, in 1980 to keep the tradition thriving.

"The program has put out some good, good wrestlers," Sparks said. "I know some kids who have mats in their rooms, down in the basement. Wrestling does a lot for them."

"Wrestling just gets in your blood,"

Granite City wrestling coach Mike Garland has guided the Warriors to 249 of the program's 1,003 victories. Garland has been coaching the squad since 1988.

'You know, wrestling is not for everyone. You really have to want it. It's a 24-hour thing with your diet and conditioning. It's not like you can turn it off.'

Mike Garland
Granite City coach

explained Walt Whitaker, who wrestled in the Granite City program (1948-51) and coached the team in 1986-87.

Whitaker, who coached at Cahokia and then at Granite City North High School when it opened in 1973, had a son (Mark) wrestle at Granite City. Mark Whitaker also has been an assistant coach at GCHS since 1984.

"It's been a family tradition in Granite City," Walt Whitaker said. "This is a great night."

Whitaker was proud of his family's unique role in the tradition. "I was Red's first team captain in 1951," Whitaker said. "Then my son, Mark, was Red's last captain when he retired in 1985."

"You have to understand that tradition," said Mark Whitaker. "It's a family thing, like a cycle. It's such a close-knit unit, there's nothing else like it. It's pretty neat."

Another prominent member of Granite City's wrestling family is Mike Garland, the team's head coach since 1988. He is second only to Schmitt in career victories

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Mark Whitaker
Granite City assistant coach

with a record of 249-37-2.

"I think Red summed it up when he said it's been 65 years of continuous wrestling," Garland said. "It's not the winning; it's that the wrestling has continued. I am proud of the kids who wrestle today that wanted to be here to witness this kind of tradition. There's a lot of old and new."

Garland said he brought wrestling home for practice and passed it along to his brothers, helping spur their interest in the sport.

"You know, wrestling is not for everyone," Garland said. "You really have to want it. It's a 24-hour thing with your diet and conditioning. It's not like you can turn it off."

At the banquet Thursday, some key people were honored for their contributions to Granite City wrestling. Recognized for their family contribution to the wrestling program were Walt and Jennette Wilson, Blackie and Clara Trgovich, and Bob and Pat Garland. Awards for super fans were presented to Chuck and Ann Ganz and Helen Burgfield was given the appreciation award.

•Baseball

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Nis Russell threw to third base, allowing Seibert to advance to second.

Edwardsville's Matt Evers then hit a frozen rope down the right field line for his ninth double of the season, easily scoring Opel and Seibert.

Lutz battled to keep the margin at just 2-0. He struck out Matt Turner and Kory Kuba. He got out of the jam by forcing Tim Hanel to ground out. "Opel opened up the inning with a big smack up the middle," Pile said. "We were going to punt him down, but we just couldn't get things going on the punt. I don't like to punt at No. 4 (Seibert) but I like a guy in scoring position. I gave a straight steal but that didn't work because (Seibert) fouled off some pitches, so then he gets the baseball to right to give us second and third. Evers comes up and runs the count. He got to a 3-2 count and then hit the ball to the right side."

The Kahoks (13-6, 5-3) nearly came back in the bottom half of the inning, loading the bases with one out. But they were unable to score with their only run. Hampson walked Dan Munoz to start the frame and got into further trouble said walking Lutz. Wayne Astrauskas dropped up a sacrifice bunt attempt for the first out. Jason Kostoff followed with an infield single to load the bases. Hampson got out of trouble when he eniced Dane Thebeau to into a double play. Thebeau's smash confused Opel at short. Opel originally looked like he was going to throw to third base for the force out before he commenced the twin killing by stepping on second base and then throwing to first.

"We were kidding Chad a little bit," Pile said. "He didn't know where to go. I looked like he was headed to third once (Thebeau) hit it so hard that Chad still had time to step on second and throw him out."

The Kahoks broke up Hampson's bid for a shutout in the fifth inning. Leadoff hitter Justin Krausz singled with two outs. He advanced to third on a bloop single to right field by Jeff Slazink. Hampson (2-0) unleashed a wild pitch that bounded a few feet from catch

'They got a couple of timely hits. And the one time we had a real chance to get after them with the bases loaded, our kid really stung it, but it went into a double play.... That's just the mark of a good baseball team.'

Steve McFall
Collinsville coach

James Hutton. Krausz attempted to score but was unable to slide in ahead of the throw back to the plate. Hutton Munoz grounded out to first base to end the inning.

While no loss is ever fun, McFall was obviously pleased with the Kahoks efforts in the second meeting between the two teams. Last month, Edwardsville blanked Collinsville 10-0, thanks in large part

to the Kahoks eight errors. "We competed, we didn't throw in the towel," McFall said. "But they got a couple of timely hits. And the one time we had a real chance to get after them with the bases loaded, our kid really stung it, but it went into a double play. That's just the mark of a good baseball team. They turned two there and got out of it, and that was really good for them."

Collinsville traveled to Centuria on Friday.

Edwardsville 2, Collinsville 1									
Edwardsville	ab	h	bi	Collinsville	ab	h	bi		
Groutiers	0	0	0	Krausz	0	0	0		
Hutton	0	0	0	Slazink	0	0	0		
Opel	0	0	0	Munoz	0	0	0		
Seibert	0	0	0	Lutz	0	0	0		
Turner	0	0	0	Astrauskas	0	0	0		
Kuba	0	0	0	Kostoff	0	0	0		
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•Voellinger

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Betz of West — who have agreed to resume the Crusaders-Maroons rivalry.

The fact that Betz was 2-6 and West 3-6 last season doesn't mean anything since their Sept. 4 meeting at the Township Stadium is most necessary football intends to maintain some level of recognition in Belleville, where high school club hockey is willing and eager to accept athletes who may have tired of the grid game....

Carbondale High has joined Mount Vernon in naming a new varsity football coach. Former assistant coach Clay Brewer replaces John Helmick, who retired but has stayed on as principal of Carbondale's East campus.

Helmick, who had a 76-31 record at Carbondale and was 162-60-1 overall recently was named to the Illinois Football Coaches Hall of Fame.

Brewer is the nephew of Carbondale school board president Bob Brewer. There was a total

of 22 outside applicants for the position at the South Seven Conference school. Clay Brewer was one of two inside applicants.

Rim shot

Add former Lawrenceville High boys basketball coach Ron Felling to the list of applicants for coach of the Indiana University-Lawrenceville men's team. Felling is in his 13th season at an assistant at Indiana University-Lawrenceville. He had a 388-77 record at Lawrenceville, including four state Class A titles.

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Brown shows versatility for O'Fallon

By Scott Marion
Staff writer

O'Fallon baseball coach Art Voellinger is pleased with the accomplishments of senior Rob Brown, but he's hardly surprised.

Through 16 games, the 6-foot-1, 206-pound senior pitcher/first baseman, was batting .490 with six home runs and 36 RBI for the Panthers, who took an 14-7 record into Friday's game at Belleville East.

In limited pitching duty, Brown was 0-1 with a 5.25 ERA in eight innings.

Brown also played three varsity seasons of soccer for Voellinger as a goalkeeper for O'Fallon. And he was a key reserve and 3-point shooting specialist for the O'Fallon basketball team.

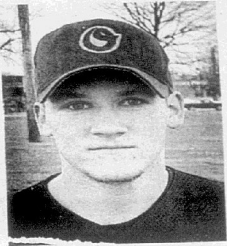
"His season so far is equivalent to some people's (entire) spring," Voellinger said. "He's not only a versatile athlete, he's a two-position player in baseball. He shows a lot of poise because of his experience in pressure situations. He's been a delight to coach."

Brown made the varsity baseball team as a sophomore,



but his season didn't last long. "In my first game, I broke (the small) finger on my glove (left) hand, and I was out until summer ball," Brown said. "It was frustrating, but it was still early in my high school career and I had two more years to look forward to."

"I had the sophomore jinx that year. I was supposed to be on the varsity basketball squad, but I was injured about



O'Fallon's Rob Brown is hitting .490 this spring with 30 RBI.

A week before the first game and I was out until the middle of January.

As a junior, Brown established himself as one of O'Fallon's top baseball players, batting .325 with two home runs and 13 RBI. As a pitcher, he was 2-2 with a 2.19 ERA.

"I had a pretty decent junior

season, but I probably could have done a little better," Brown said. "I was still pretty young and coming into the varsity program, and I was trying to get down the basics."

"I've improved my contact and I'm not striking out as much. I'm trying to be more of a leader by example. We had a great team last year, but we also have a great team this year, with good overall balance. Coming into the season, I expected nothing but the best. We're solid up and down the lineup."

"We had a couple games early in the season that we should have won. It's been hard with all the bad weather, but I feel like we're starting to get into a groove."

Battling in the No. 4 spot, Brown has a .581 on-base percentage.

"(Voellinger) pretty much knew what to expect out of me," Brown said. "He keeps pretty close ties with all of his players, and he knew I knew what I had to do this year. I try to hit line drives and get on base so my teammates can

move me over."

"I hit fifth early in the season, but it doesn't make too much difference to me. Most teams aren't throwing where I can get a good look, but I've adjusted to that pretty well. I'm really surprised by my (home run and RBI totals), but I hit the weights really hard during basketball season and it paid off. That's a credit to Mr. (Norm) Tonjes (O'Fallon's former head basketball coach)."

"As far as pitching, I'm more of a location pitcher. My freshman and sophomore years, I was all over the place, but I've gotten my accuracy down."

In basketball, Brown helped the Panthers reach the sectional semifinals. He began to emerge as an offensive force midway through the season, coming off the bench to score 14 second-half points in a loss to Cahokia. But the injury bug struck again.

"I sprained my ankle in practice two years before the Marion game," he said. "I was

out for a while, but I was back in the swing of things before the (regional) tournament and I was able to help the team out."

"I developed my 3-point shot the last two seasons. My junior year, with the JV team, Mr. (Kevin) Kellerman, the new varsity basketball coach, allowed me to step outside, and that became my strength. I was better from 3-point range than 2-point range, this year."

"In soccer, being a goalkeeper helped me out for baseball. I developed quick hands and I was able to scoop the ball up at first base."

While Brown enjoys soccer and basketball, baseball is his No. 1 sport.

"I'm waiting to see if I get any (scholarship) offers, but I want to play baseball in college," said Brown, who plays in the summer for O'Fallon's American Legion team. "I want to go to a school with a good academic tradition. I want to major in communications."

Alton's Schmidt celebrates another win vs. Baker, Granite City

By Dave Whaley
Staff writer

Don Schmidt figured he had reached his goal 20 months ago. But he added another zinger on Thursday night. Schmidt, the Alton High soccer coach, got his first-ever win over the Granite City boys in September 1996. The Redbirds girls team followed that with a 1-0 win over the Lady Warriors on Thursday at Gordon Moore Park.

"It's a long time coming," said Schmidt, who has coached the girls program for eight years. "I have the utmost respect for Gene Baker. This feels great."

Baker has won nine state titles with the Granite City boys program, and his girls teams have consistently been among the best in the area and the state.

"Alton played with a lot of emotion tonight," Baker said. "The goal was a beautiful one, but she gave the ball away at midfield with some sloppy play."

Lindsey Kennedy scored the goal at 26 minutes 12 seconds of the first half. She took a pass from freshman Katie Hammon and was moving left to right about 20 yards from the Granite City goal. She then placed a perfect left-footer back to the near corner behind Lady Warriors goalie Shannon Roth for her 11th goal of the

GIRLS SOCCER

ALTON 1
GRANITE CITY 0

season. "I give Lindsey full credit tonight," Schmidt said. "We've said in the past that she doesn't always play well or score against the better teams, but she was good all over the field tonight."

"Individually, Kennedy is probably the best player on this side of the river," Baker said.

The Redbirds (8-5-1) didn't let down after the goal and controlled the midfield for most of the half with good play from Kristin Card and Terry McNamee. Defenders Sarah Ruckman and Angela Hammon also were able to withstand the Granite City attack.

"They made some timely slide tackles," Baker said of

Correction

The Granite City girls soccer player in the picture on 1B of Wednesday's *Journal* was incorrectly identified as Jolene Harris. The player in the picture is Christina Whithers.

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SOCIETY NEWS

Habitat group seeks volunteers

The East St. Louis chapter of Habitat for Humanity is now seeking volunteers for a house-building "Blitz" June 15.

Habitat is a nonprofit, Christian housing ministry that seeks to eliminate substandard housing worldwide.

Selected homeowner families are required to invest "sweat equity" labor hours into the construction of their homes. Habitat's selects homeowners based on three principles:

the family's need for adequate shelter, the ability to pay and the willingness to be a partner.

Houses are sold at no profit to partner families and financed with no interest mortgages. Costs are kept low through donations from individuals, corporations, churches and the use of volunteer labor.

In East St. Louis, the 1994 Blitz built eight houses, the 1996 Blitz built four houses. Three houses are scheduled to

be built in 1998. Volunteers are needed for labor, security, food service, materials handling, landscaping and all other aspects of building a house.

The registration fee is \$25 and includes insurance, a T-shirt, hard hat and other equipment. Children under 18 must complete a minor's release of liability. The Blitz begins June 15. For information, call 271-7979.

SIUE professors share respect with students

Dennis Grubaugh
Telegraph staff writer

Charlotte Frisbie and Eric Voss share a love of students, and their students feel likewise.

The pair are co-recipients of this year's SIUE Teaching Excellence Awards. They received plaques during commencement ceremonies May 2.

Frisbie, a professor of anthropology, also won the award in 1971, after her first year of teaching at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

"She's had an incredible record of good teaching," said Sidney Denny, a professor and the head of the Anthropology Department. "She is very demanding and at the same time extraordinarily well-prepared and willing to spend the individual time with students to get them what they need."

Frisbie said she is "deeply honored" to receive the award. "There are an awfully lot of good teachers on campus, not just in being knowledgeable and prepared, but in caring," she said.

Denny has known Frisbie for more than 30 years, long before she came to the university.

"When we first started, the standard style of teaching was lecture. Period. What has happened over the years is teaching has evolved more into 'active learning'." There is more participation by students in question-answer sessions, debates, in-class presentations and student group projects," Denny said.

"Faculty tend to use what works, and in Charlotte's case, she uses all the techniques," he said.

Her rapport with students is almost familial, he said. "Most of them call her Charlotte — or at least the (course)

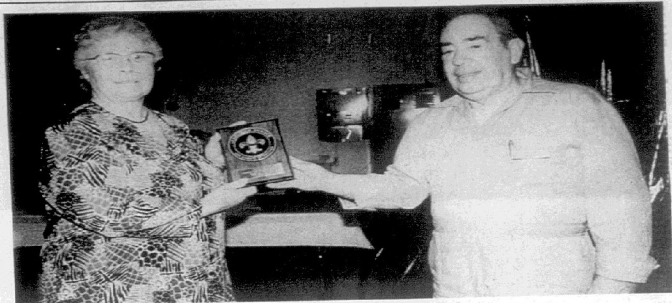
majors do. She can be informal, but the hallmark of her teaching is the students know she expects a lot from them," Denny said.

Frisbie said "it is neat" to stay in touch with students who advance from the SIUE undergraduate anthropology program to success in the field.

"We've had a number that have gotten PhDs," she said. Frisbie has worked with the National Honors Society in Anthropology and been involved in national training regarding the teaching of Navajo studies.

"Active" and "caring" are words that Chemistry Department Chair James Eilers uses to describe Eric Voss of Glen Carbon, an assistant professor of chemistry.

"He is one of the most dedicated teachers I've run into in years," Eilers said. "Students just know he cares."



Cooperation brings results

Maxine Duniphan, Chouteau Township Senior Citizens vice president, accepts a plaque before the program is over. Le Roy Stark, charter representative for Cub Scout Pack 141 and liaison officer for the seniors and the Scouts. The plaque was presented to the senior organization in appreciation of their sponsorship of Pack 141. The plaque was awarded to the Scouts for their participation in the Friends of Scouting event, which included contacting friends, parents and family members for donations. Money collected will be used to support the Scouting programs.

AIM helps kids zoom in
Summer program continues to grow in popularity

By Jason White
Staff writer

As executive director of Adventures in Motivation, Stanford Scott helps children

target their dreams. Scott founded AIM in 1989 to give youth an alternative to the streets through cultural, educational, recreational and social opportunities. Since 1989, AIM's summer program has reached more than 3,000 children in East St. Louis and surrounding towns.

The six-week program includes drug education, math, science and reading instruction, computer classes, acting and dance classes and a wide range of team and individual sports.

AIM also organizes field trips to colleges, historical sites and museums.

"We provide them with the resources that are missing in their everyday lives, in some cases," Scott said.

Today, AIM has grown to include year-round tutoring and mentoring, a parent education program and four Safe Haven after-school sites with about 500 children.

AIM has received national, state and local recognition, but Scott downplays the accolades. "I'm not an awards kind of person," he said. "Tomorrow I might be gone, but AIM will still be here."

Instead, Scott attributes AIM's success to collaboration with a wide variety of organizations, government agencies and businesses. "I've gotten tremendous support from people," he said.

The staff also plays a big role. "Staff know to always be an adult to the child," Scott said. "You set the example for them."

Without any advertising or publicity, AIM has to turn

'Our thing is to treat all kids the same — in a loving, supporting, attention-giving manner.'

Stanford Scott
AIM executive director

away 300 children each year from the summer program. Scott often works late into the night writing grant proposals.

"I never miss an opportunity to ask for money," he said.

But he stresses that he never shapes the program to fit grant requirements. "My ability to get grants is talking to people straight up," Scott said.

All of the activities in the summer program revolve around building self-confidence, developing leadership abilities and teaching interpersonal skills.

"Our thing is to treat all kids the same — in a loving, supporting, attention-giving manner," Scott said.

"We do not accept excuses about past problems or present problems," he said.

"We realize we are an economically depressed community — we realize all of these things that people write about, but there still, in our minds, is no excuse to fail."

"I don't want you growing up thinking before you leave the house that you are defeated," he said. "Race doesn't determine it, economics doesn't determine it, it's what's in you that determines what you are."

AIM focuses on small changes — for example, every child is expected to get a library

card and open a bank account before the program is over.

"It's like a drip of water on a rock one drop at a time," Scott said.

"The change is so slow you won't see it, but if you come back you will be amazed at the change."

One of AIM's most important goals is to develop a child's interests and talents. "We want to whet that appetite so that they want to do something," he said.

"We think kids should be allowed to be kids, and grow," Scott said. "I think society has a tendency to rush our kids."

"I used to get up in the morning, and look up, and it was nighttime," he said.

"Our kids don't get that luxury now. They have to watch out for things. Kids can't ever have the freedom that people my age had once."

Scott, a sports enthusiast, said the team concept is also essential to AIM's philosophy. "We're not trying to develop the next Tiger Woods or Michael Jordan," he said.

"Our thing is to not forget the participants," Scott said. "We don't ask our kids to finish first; we ask them to finish the race."

"If they finish the race, they're a winner." The team approach also applies to improving East St. Louis and surrounding communities, Scott said.

"We have relied too much as a race on individuals, rather than collective decision-making," he said.

"It's not up at the top, because politics is the art of compromise."

"I think the only thing that's ever going to change East St. Louis is East St. Louisans — when individuals wake up and say 'I'm tired of this.'"

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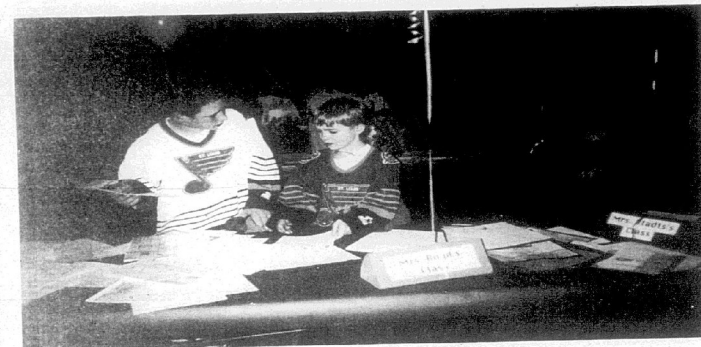
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Student Josh Carrico visits at the book sale table.

Lake School open house celebrates books, learning

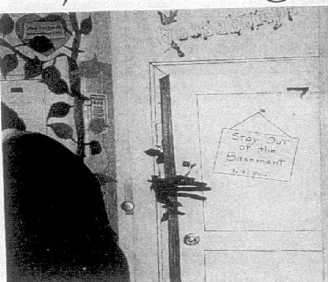
The theme for the 1997/1998 Lake School open house was "Open Your Door to a World of Books."

Approximately 400 parents and students attended open house at Lake School on Jan. 29, door decorating contest was held where each door in the building was decorated around a storybook theme.

Mrs. Becherer's classroom door took first place and Mrs. Hollis' classroom took second place. Their students were treated to a special luncheon in the cafeteria, in the gymnasium, writings by the student were displayed, refreshments were served, and a used book sale was held.

Parents and students were able to register for attendance prizes, visit classrooms, and vote on their favorite door display. Parents had the opportunity to obtain information on the homework hotline and monthly activities in the building.

Principal Nancy Sanders would like to thank everyone who helped to prepare for this special event. A special thanks to parent and students for visiting the open house.



The first door decorations.

CALENDAR

Groups

THE ST. CLAIR COUNTY LA LECHE LEAGUE meets at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, May 20 at the Church of Christ on Bunker Road in Fairview Heights to discuss the benefits of breast-feeding for newborns. Call 398-MOMS for more information.

THE DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA, CIRCLE 329, will host a Mass and luncheon meeting at noon on Wednesday, May 20 at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 3810 N. Illinois St., Belleville. Ladies will also form a living rosary in honor of Blessed Mary.

O'FALLON OPTIMIST CLUB meets at noon on Wednesday, May 20 at The Barn Restaurant on Hartman Lane.

THE LINCOLN TRAIL H-12 meets at noon on Wednesday, May 13 at Shoney's Restaurant. All Master Masons are invited to attend.

A NOON LUNCHEON AND CARD PARTY will be held on Wednesday, May 13 at the Uguine Convent, 1025 N. Douglas, Belleville.

THE BOHLEN CHAPTER 1019, BELLEVILLE OF THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF RETIRED FEDERAL EMPLOYEES meets at 1:30 p.m. on Wednesday, May 13 at St. George Episcopal Church Hall, High and D Streets, Belleville. For more information, call Elouise Barranco at 233-3548.

THE FAIRVIEW SENIOR CITIZENS CLUB meets at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, May 13 at the Caseyville Township Building, 10001 Bunker Road.

THE LADIES AUXILIARY TO FAIRVIEW MEMORIAL VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS POST 8677 will serve homemade dinner at 4 p.m. every Wednesday at the Post Home, 5325 N. Illinois, Fairview Heights. There is a special menu every week.

THE LADIES AUXILIARY OF FAIRVIEW HEIGHTS MEMORIAL VFW POST 8677 will have a bingo party and visit John Cochran Veterans Medical Center in St. Louis at 6 p.m. on Wednesday, May 20, 5325 N. Illinois St.

THE O'FALLON LIONS CLUB meets at 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday, May 13 at the Western Sizzler in O'Fallon.

BELLEVILLE CHARTER CHAPTER ABWA meets at 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday, May 20, at Fletcher's Restaurant, 2100 W. Main St., Belleville. The program will include sixth-grade chorus members from Queen of Peace School under the direction of Patricia Buckrod and the accompanying by Belinda Burnsworth. Scholarship recipients will also be announced. The cost is \$11 and reservations are needed by May 18. For more information, call Hazel at 234-2177.

NEW BEGINNINGS SHOWTIME CHORUS meets at 7 p.m. every Wednesday at the St. Paul's Lutheran Church, 10090 Old Lincoln Trail, Fairview Heights. Women who are interested in singing and performing are invited to attend

rehearsals. For more information, call Alice at 235-5321 or 277-0439.

THE DEPRESSIVE AND MANIC-DEPRESSIVE ASSOCIATION OF ST. LOUIS hosts self-help group meetings at 7 p.m. every Wednesday in the Cypress Room of St. Elizabeth's Hospital, 211 S. Third St., Belleville. Call the DMDA at (314) 644-7871.

THE BELLEVILLE-SCOTT AIR FORCE BASE STAMP CLUB meets at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, May 13 at Governor French Academy, 219 W. Main, Call Bill Schaab, president, at 234-7542.

O'FALLON SENIOR CITIZENS meet at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, May 20 at 901 E. State St. in O'Fallon.

O'FALLON BASS CASTERS ASSOCIATION meets at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, May 20 at the Thunderbird Restaurant (two miles east of Shiloh on Wherry Road).

COLLINSVILLE-BELLEVILLE AREA GARDENING CLUB meets from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. on Wednesday, May 20 at Programs and Services for Older Persons (PSOP), 201 N. Church St., Belleville. For additional information, call Dawn Cordle at 345-2194.

THE BELLEVILLE CHAPTER OF ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR meets at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, May 20 at the Scott AFB VFW Post #4153.

UNDERWATER SEARCH AND RECOVERY TEAM meets at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, May 13 at O'Fallon Township Building.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN meets at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, May 20, in home of Lucille Davis. The program will be "Pioneer Women of the Belleville Area" by Davis. For meeting information, call 234-1440.

AAUWA is an organization for women who are college graduates or currently enrolled in college.

THE BELLEVILLE CHAPTER OF THE DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION meets at 11:30 a.m. on Thursday at the Elks Club, 1481 S. Illinois, Belleville. Margaret Faulbourn, a member of the chapter and member of the Shiloh Valley Garden Club, will bring a country garden arrangement. She will also assemble a topiary during her discussion. The cost is \$5. Call Betty Shrodt at 397-1230 for more information.

THE SOUTH-WESTERN ILLINOIS MEDIA CLUB meets at 11:30 a.m. on Thursday at Fischer's Restaurant, 2100 W. Main St., Belleville. Call 632-7630.

THE LADIES AUXILIARY OF VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS FAIRVIEW MEMORIAL POST 8677 has a bingo at noon every Thursday at the Post Home, 5325 N. Illinois, Fairview Heights. Also features Early Bird at 11:30 a.m., Color and Power Ball and lunch.

O'FALLON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

meets at noon on Thursday at the Western Sizzler Steak House, 1411 W. Highway 50, O'Fallon.

THE FAIRVIEW HEIGHTS KIWANIS CLUB meets at 12:30 p.m. every Thursday at Shoney's Restaurant in Fairview Heights. For more information, call Richard Erdmann at 397-0798.

THE ST. CLAIR TOASTMASTERS CLUB 496 meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Elks Lodge, 1481 S. Illinois St., Belleville. The group builds leadership and communication skills from proven manuals every week. Anyone 18 years or older can join. Call Ray Adams at 277-5522 for more information.

THE BELLEVILLE CAMERA CLUB meets at 7 p.m. on Thursday in the auditorium of the BAC Senior Center (PSOP), 211 N. Church St., Belleville. Doris Alberts will be presenting a program on photographic toning. Call Carol Younger at 398-6267 for information.

LADIES AUXILIARY VFW 1739 meets at 7 p.m. on Thursday at 423 S. Illinois St., Belleville.

THE SLAPPERS COUNTRY WESTERN DANCE CLUB meets at 7 p.m. on Thursday at Bel-Air Bowl, 1703 N. Belt West.

O'FALLON TOASTMASTERS 954 meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at Western Sizzler, 1411 W. Highway 50, O'Fallon.

CHAPTER 2535 OF THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF RETIRED PERSONS meets at 7 p.m. on Thursday at the Urban Kuhl Hall, 1900 W. Belle St., Belleville.

THE COLLINSVILLE HERB SOCIETY meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the American Legion Freedom Farm in Freeburg. The nominations of new officers will be held.

FAIRVIEW HEIGHTS JAYCEE WOMEN meets at 8 p.m. on Thursday at St. Clair Bowl, 5650 Old Collinsville Road.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS meets at 8 p.m. every Thursday at Church of Christ, 3530 Falling Springs Road in Cahokia. For more information, call 285-4807.

THE CAHOKIA LIONS CLUB will host a Bingo game at 7 p.m. every

Friday at the Jaycee Hall, 160 Edgar St., Cahokia. Call the hall at 337-7718 or chairman Jim Thomas at 476-3025.

THE AMERICAN LEGION IN CAHOKIA will host country western dance meals at 7:30 p.m. Friday at 7 p.m. every Friday. Beginner lessons run from 7 to 8:30 p.m. and intermediate/advance lessons from 8:30 to 10 p.m. For more information, call 337-2598.

THE BROAD HOLLOW GARDEN 1805 meets at 8 p.m. on Friday at the post home, 5325 N. Illinois, Fairview Heights.

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DANDY DANCERS SQUARE DANCE CLUB meets at 8 p.m. on Friday at Belle Hall, 110 W. A St., Belleville. Tom Morgan will be the caller and Glenda Morgan will be the caller. For more information, call Joe Obal at 632-5596 or Bob Thurgood at 476-3685.

BELLEVILLE CHRISTIAN CENTER, 104 S. 17th St. has a pizza supper at 5 p.m. every Saturday. A worship service will follow at 6 p.m. For more information or to volunteer at the center, call 235-1943.

CARE YOUNG ADULTS meets at 7:30 p.m. on Sunday at St. Albert's gym. New members are welcome. Call Kathy at 632-2751.

THE MONDAY MORNING SENIOR GOLF LEAGUE plays at 9 a.m. every Monday at York Golf Club on Anderson Lane in Belleville.

O'FALLON ROTARY CLUB meets at noon every Monday at the city's American Legion Hall.

TOPS, ILL. 1913, Scott AFB meets at 4:45 p.m. every Monday in the Aero Club on York Road in Belleville.

PARENTS ANONYMOUS, a support group for parents experiencing stress with child rearing, meets at 6 p.m. every Monday. Call 398-1152 or 482-2714 for location.

O'FALLON KIWANIS CLUB meets at 6:45 p.m. every Monday at the O'Fallon Knights of Columbus Hall.

MENDEO HEARTS INC. meets at 7 p.m. on Monday at Memorial Hospital or St. Elizabeth's Hospital. Call 233-5420.

GROW IN ILLINOIS meets at 7 p.m. every Monday at 203 S. Charles Street, Belleville. GROW is a voluntary association of people who seek mental and social support. For information, call 235-4565.

THE EDGE OF ILLINOIS CHORUS, a women's barbershop group, meets at 7:30 p.m. every Monday at 311 E.

Lincoln St., Belleville. Call Cindy at 234-3631 or Mickey at 277-6653.

THE BELLE NOTES BARBER SHOP CHORUS meets at 7:30 p.m. every Monday at Signal Hill School, 40 Signal Hill Place, Belleville. Call 234-3911.

SQUARE DANCE LESSONS, sponsored by Dandy Dancers, are offered to all interested people. The lessons are offered every Monday night at 7:30 p.m. at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, 10300 Old Lincoln Trail, Fairview Heights. For further information, call Joe Obal at 632-5596.

BUSINESS NETWORKING INTERNATIONAL (BNI), an organization of business professionals interested in furthering their business through internal networking, meets at 7 a.m. every Tuesday at Louisiana Jack's Restaurant, Fairview Heights. Call 628-0398 for more information.

THE ALVIN G. BOHLEY CHAPTER 1019 NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF RETIRED FEDERAL EMPLOYEES meets at 10 a.m. every Tuesday at the national office at Scott AFB. Call 255-4198 for more information.

SUPPORT GROUPS FOR VICTIMS OF FAMILY VIOLENCE meets Tuesdays from 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., 1 p.m. to 2:30 p.m., and 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. on Wednesdays from 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. ALIVE provides alternatives to victims of family violence and their families in the St. Louis area. Call 314-993-2777 for the location of the meetings and additional information.

TOPS #221 in Cahokia meets from 5:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. every Tuesday at Saugat Village Hall, 2897 Falling Springs Road. The group is for support and friendship in losing weight. For more information, call Emm at 337-7209.

ST. CLAIR COUNTY LEGAL PROFESSIONALS ASSOCIATION meets at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday at Bellecourt Plaza, 120 N. Jackson St., Belleville. Social hour begins at 5:30 p.m. and dinner is at 6:30 p.m. Reservations for a minimum of \$18.95 should be made payable to the St. Clair County Legal Professionals Association and sent to: Judy Baehr, P.O. Box 114, New Baden, 62265. Reservations are needed by May 13.

KIWANIS CLUB meets at 8:30 p.m. every Tuesday at Elks Club, 1481 S. Illinois, Belleville.

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Cahokia. For more information, call 266-4807.

THE FREEBURG CHAPTER #542 ORDER OF EASTERN STAR meets at 8 p.m. on Tuesday at the Freeburg Masonic Temple, 205 W. High St., Call 475-2296.

Health

JOURNEY OF HOPE, a family and friend support group for Alliance of Mentally Ill, meets at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, May 13 at 502 S. High St., Belleville. For more information call 234-2173.

MAKE TODAY COUNT, a cancer support group, meets at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, May 20 in Room 401 of the Health and Education Building, 220 W. Lincoln St., Belleville. Call Martha Connor at 277-7098 or 234-1122.

THE ADDICTIONS SERVICE PROGRAM at St. Elizabeth's Hospital in Belleville is sponsoring a Family Education Program at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, May 20 on the seventh floor of the hospital. The video, "What About Me?" will be shown, describing how family experience the challenge of recovery. The program is open to anyone and there is no charge. For more information, call St. Elizabeth's Chemical Dependence Program at 234-2120, ext. 1555. All calls are confidential.

EMOTIONS ANONYMOUS meets at 7:30 p.m. every Wednesday at King's House, 6600 W. Main St. in Belleville. Call 236-7676 for information.

OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS meets at 8 p.m. every Wednesday at King's House, North 68th Street, Belleville.

SIGHT LOSS SUPPORT GROUP, sponsored by St. Elizabeth's Hospital in cooperation with the Illinois Department of Rehabilitation services, meets from 1-3 p.m. on Thursday in Room 106 of Belleville Area College's Programs and Services for Older Persons, 201 N. Church St., Belleville. For more information, call 234-4410, ext. 33.

SHARE, a mutual support group for parents and grandparents who have experienced death of a newborn, stillborn or a miscarriage, meets at 7 p.m. on Thursday in Room 301 at St. George's Episcopal Church, 224 W. Lincoln, Belleville. Call 234-2120, ext. 1293.

DEPRESSED ANONYMOUS meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at Holy Cross Episcopal Church, 8801 Old Lincoln, Fairview Heights. The group also meets at 1 p.m. every Saturday at St. George's Episcopal Church, North High and East D Streets, Belleville. The 12-step program is designed to help depressed people begin to take responsibility for their life situations. For information call 632-6757 or 277-3788.

EPILEPSY ASSOCIATION OF SOUTHERN ILLINOIS meets at 7 p.m. on Tuesday in the conference room of Southern Illinois Bank, Belleville.

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Crown Victoria

Ford's Crown Victoria gets freshened up for 1998

By Tom Strongman

The Crown Victoria was in and around my household for more than a week, and my wife's parents were the first to really notice it.

They raved about its styling, its spacious velour interior and the fact that it looks sort of like a Lincoln (which it does). Their enthusiasm for this V-8-powered, rear-wheel-drive car reveals that this car is targeted at buyers who are schooled in the tradition of full-size sedans that are so uniquely American.

Most of them Chevrolet Caprice, Cadillac Fleetwood and Buick Roadmaster are names of the past, now out of production. Along with Lincoln's Town Car, the Ford Crown Victoria and its Mercury sibling, the Grand Marquis, are the three remaining full-size, front-engine, rear-drive sedans offered by a domestic manufacturer. The Crown Victoria is extremely popular as a police car, too.

The Crown Vic remains in demand because it has Ford's silky 4.6-liter, SOHC V-8 engine, a full-perimeter frame, seating for six, and a boulevard ride. On top of that, prices start \$21,540 for the base model and \$23,740 for the LX, which is the model I drove.

For 1998 the Crown Victoria has been freshened up front and rear with new fascia, lights and grill. The grill is taller and the headlights are bigger. Taillights are massive, and the trunk now has a turned-up lip. The rear window is more upright and the roof line less curved. The look is more formal.

But the significant changes for 1998 go well beyond styling. They provide tighter handling, better braking and improved traction when the weather is bad.

In back, the rear axle uses a Watt's linkage to limit axle movement and stabilize the tracking of the rear wheels. This, according

Ford, results in better steering, feel and less body roll. On rough pavement I noted the vehicle still hops around a little, but in general the handling is certainly on par with other cars in this segment.

The test car was equipped with the optional handling package similar to that on the police car models, and it was more composed in turns and handled lane changes with less sway. The handling package includes air springs, a lower axle ratio, dual exhausts, heavier stabilizer bars and performance tires. The dual exhausts raise engine output from 200 horsepower to 215, which is another reason to make the choice.

Larger front rotors and dual-piston calipers contribute to better braking. This year the traction control system has been upgraded so it works at all speeds, not just in starting off. Traction control has been responsible for making rear-wheel-drive cars like the Crown Victoria safer and more drivable in winter conditions. I noticed the traction light winked occasionally when I was driving in the rain, which meant it was doing its job even before I could detect wheel spin.

While the Crown Vic is not overly powerful, its overhead-cam V-8 is extremely smooth and free of annoying vibrations. The automatic transmission's shifts barely are noticeable, and the button on the end of the shift lever is handy for shifting out of drive for pulling up hills or working in and out of traffic with a sharper throttle response.

In the large passenger compartment, appointments are nearly as plush as a luxury car. Our test car had six-way power seats, automatic air conditioning and digital instrumen-

Engine: 4.6-liter, V-8
Transmission: Automatic
Wheelbase: 114.7 inches
Curb Weight: 3,917 pounds
Base Price: \$23,740
Price as Driven: \$26,730
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mentation. This instrument package is not my favorite because the large, bright green numbers contrast with the understated tone of the rest of the interior.

Front seats are wide and flat for easy entry, but scooting in and out can be difficult because the velour upholstery grabs your clothes almost like Velcro. The wide seats feel like buckets with the arm rests folded down, but fold them up and you could put three in front should you need.

This is a wide car. For drivers with short arms, reaching the radio in the center of the dash takes a bit of a stretch, but temperature controls are easier because they are much lower.

The back seat can hold three abreast, although two is certainly more comfortable. Leg room is easily adequate for adults.

And the trunk, of course, has almost as much volume as the town car. As long as full-size cars such as the Crown Victoria and Grand Marquis continue to be updated with more responsive suspensions, effective brakes and all-speed traction control, the demand will be there.

Our LX test car had a base price of \$23,740. Options that handle the handling, performance package, digital instrumentation, six-way power seats, anti-lock brakes, traction control, automatic climate control, 16-inch cast aluminum wheels, floor mats and a conventional spare tire.

The basic warranty is for three years or 36,000 miles.

POINTS & PLUGS

By Rick Stoff

Cooper Automotive, based in St. Louis, could be leaving its parent company. Cooper Industries announced in April it has asked Merrill Lynch & Co. for advice on "exiting the automotive business."

Cooper Industries is based in Houston. The company's automotive businesses account for 34 percent of the company's annual sales, a total of \$1.9 billion in 1997. Cooper markets automotive products under such brand names as Champion spark plugs, Anco wipers, Wagner lighting and brakes, Moog suspension components and Precision universal joints.

Cooper's non-auto businesses sell electrical products, tools and hardware.

The Missouri State Highway Patrol has established a DWI Victim Assistance Program to assist victims and surviving family members of alcohol-related auto crashes.

A grant from the State Department of Public Safety has provided for troop coordinators and zone advocates across the state to assist victims of DWI (driving while intoxicated) accidents, advise them of their rights and make referrals to other assistance resources such as Mothers Against Drunk Driving and Missouri Crime Victims' Compensation.

The program has trained 114 state troopers and 40 officers from other law enforcement agencies in victim services, advocacy and sensitivity. The state's DWI Victim Hotline can be reached by calling 1-888-773-1800.

The state highway patrol is involved in investigating about 70 percent of alcohol-related traffic fatalities in Missouri.

The patrol feels through this training and by working closer with DWI victims, our services to them will be expanded," said Col. Weldon L. Wilhoit, superintendent of the patrol. "This is the type of program that supports our community policing philosophy and serves as an example of our involvement in community problems."

So much for independent journalism. Advertising officials from Ford, Chrysler and General Motors recently told a gathering of magazine publishers that they better become team players if they expect to continue receiving auto ad placements.

The auto executives spoke before the Magazine Publishers of America and Magazine Representatives Association of Detroit and stressed the need for interactive brand-building relationships consisting of not only magazine advertisements but also promotions, merchandising and activities such as fashion shows.

The trade publication Automotive News said the publishers were "told to marry their magazines' personalities to the automotive brand personalities."

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